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GIRL PREVENTS MURDER

THOUSANDS FLEE FROM COLIMA

Sand and Deadly Gas Belched Forth by Burning Mountain of Mexico

Gale Blowing From Northwest Probably Saves Lives; Damage Reported Great

GUADALAJARA, Mex., Jan. 21.—The volcano of Colima broke into violent eruption last night. Thousands of people are fleeing from the villages and ranches in the vicinity. It is believed there has been great loss of life in the remoter districts.

Hundreds of refugees arrived in this city this morning on a train composed of box cars which had been picked up on a siding at a nearby village.

The fleeing people had found it necessary to shovel away a quantity of volcanic sand before they were able to move the cars and for many miles along the way here the train had to be stopped frequently to clear the track of debris.

SUFFOCATING GASES.

Very little lava was ejected from the crater, which, however, emitted vast quantities of smoke and sand, while suffocating gases formed an unusual feature of the eruption.

A gale was blowing from the northwest and this, probably saved many of the inhabitants of the surrounding districts, as it caused the flying sand and deadly gases to pass over their heads.

DAMAGE NOT KNOWN.

The extensivity of the volcano damage is not known, but volcanic dust is settling on the house roofs and the streets of this city.

The railroad station agent at Tepetitlan remained at his post during the night and reports that volcanic sand covered the tracks in places to a depth of several feet.

The last violent eruption of Colima occurred in 1903.

OAKLAND IS BENEFITED BY ORDER

This City and San Francisco Placed on Par With N. Y. in Customs Guards' Salaries

Increased Pay to Reach Total of \$10,000 a Year; Promotions Planned

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—San Francisco and Oakland are placed on a par with New York as regards the salaries of customs guards following the recommendation of Collector of the Port Frederick Stratton, resulting in an order received this morning from Washington. The collector has been authorized to increase salaries in the local "custom house" to approximately \$10,000 per annum. Of his recommendation the customs guards on duty at night will receive this benefit, and the promotion of these inspectors will result in making their salaries the highest in the United States, equalling those in the metropolis which in this regard has always maintained a unique position.

MANY GET INCREASES.
Forty-three guards are affected by the increase, which raises their salaries at

MISS HELEN GOULD REMEMBERS HOMELESS MEN BRIDE-ELECT CONTINUES CHARITABLE WORK

FINLEY J. SHEPARD AND MISS HELEN GOULD, WHO WILL BE MARRIED TOMORROW; MISS GOULD'S TARRYTOWN HOUSE (LEFT); HER NEW YORK HOME AND (BELOW) THE BUILDING CONTAINING MISS GOULD'S SWIMMING POOL. BOTTOM PICTURE F. J. SHEPARD AND MISS GOULD.



FEAST FOR POOR IN BOWERY PLANNED

Philanthropy and Wedding Arrangements Go Hand in Hand

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—While being showered with gifts herself and busy with preparations for her wedding tomorrow, Miss Helen Gould has made the army of homeless men in New York happy with an announcement that they will receive a treat tomorrow at her expense. Tomorrow is the day of her marriage to Finley J. Shepard of St. Louis, at Lyndhurst, her country home, near Tarrytown.

The feast for the poor will be served by relay to a thousand men in the basement of the Bowery mission, in whose work Miss Gould has long been interested.



Pleasant Weather For One More Day

Forecaster McAdie Declares the Sun Will Have Sway for 24 Hours.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—This is what District Forecaster McAdie calls pleasant weather, and the outlook for it is to continue during the next 24 hours. There has been no rain or snow in California today or yesterday, and conditions are normal everywhere.



WARSHIP IS RUSHED TO MEXICO

U. S. to Protect Americans at Vera Cruz From Attacks on Rebels

Small Towns Pillaged and Women Carried Off by Marauding Bandits

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Disquieting reports of a grave situation at Vera Cruz, Mexico, today, caused State Department officials to detach the gunboat Wheeling from the first division of the Atlantic fleet at Guantanamo for immediate duty at the Mexican port.

Continued disorders and widespread rebel activities in Southern Mexico, in which, official dispatches say, small towns and ranches have been attacked and pillaged, women have been carried off and bandits have demoralized the populace, have aroused apprehension for the safety of Americans in the disturbed zone.

AMERICANS UNPROTECTED.
That the Mexican government is providing little or no protection for foreign interests has been made evident again by the recent action of American planters in announcing that they proposed to pay tribute to the rebel Zapata to protect their growing crops against other rebel bands and raiders.

State department officials admitted today that their reports were of a condition so grave as to indicate that the presence of a United States warship might be necessary to protect Americans.

The first division of the Atlantic fleet, composed of dreadnaughts Wyoming, North Dakota, Utah and (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

Mrs. Butters Objects To Policemen's Action

Officers Arrest Chauffeur and Use Car to Travel to Station.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Mrs. Charles Butters of Claremont, sister-in-law of the late Henry A. Butters, of Piedmont, was a witness in Police Judge Sullivan's court today in behalf of Gaston Groulx, a chauffeur arrested for fast speeding. Groulx was employed by Charles Butters and was running out Sutter street in his car with Mrs. Charles Butters as a passenger, when two policemen stopped the machine, jumped in and escorted the driver to the police station.

Mrs. Butters in her testimony appeared incensed at the manner in which the officers had acted in using the car to take them to the station and gave as her opinion that it was a very difficult matter for the police to tell how fast the machine was going. The patrolmen concerned, Granfield and White, declared that the speed was 29 miles an hour and that they had timed the car on Sutter street between Buchanan and Webster. When Groulx took the stand he said he had been driving for 15 years and had never been arrested before. He asserted that he thought the speed here was 15 miles per hour, but that on Butler street, an 18-mile gait was permitted.

Judge Sullivan fined Groulx \$20.

MOTHER IS SAVED BY CHILD

Florence Bergstrom Rushes Between Quarreling Parents; Bullet Deflected

Wrenches Weapon From Hands of Father, Who Is Placed Under Arrest

Rushing between her mother and father in the midst of a family altercation last night, Florence Bergstrom, a 15-year-old girl, saved the life of her mother by deflecting a bullet, wrenching a revolver from her father's grasp and throwing the weapon into an adjoining room. The girl gripped the weapon after Bergstrom had clicked the hammer twice in an effort to fire. The third time he succeeded, but the shot was deflected by the quickness of the girl in seizing his hand.

Charles Bergstrom, the father, was arrested later at the home, 2424 High street, and this morning a warrant, charging him with assault with a deadly weapon was sworn to by his wife, Mrs. Tillie Bergstrom. Bail was fixed in the sum of \$5000.

The domestic troubles of the Bergstroms reached a dramatic climax last night after several days of bickering. The members of the family refused or were unable to give a clear account of the origin of the trouble, but the anger of the man against his wife became so intense yesterday that he purchased a revolver and took it to his home, determined, if the quarrel was renewed, to settle the matter.

LEVELS REVOLVER.

At a late hour last night the quarrel again reached a height of passion which led Bergstrom and his wife to stand facing each other in a passion of rage. Suddenly Bergstrom drew a revolver and leveled it at his wife.

"I'm going to end this," he shouted wildly. Bergstrom drew back the trigger twice in an effort to discharge the weapon, while Mrs. Bergstrom started to run to an adjoining room. Bergstrom followed.

Florence Bergstrom had been listening in fear to the voices of her parents raised in anger. Realizing the danger in which her mother stood, the girl threw fear aside and rushed into the room, shouting to her father to stop.

The girl found her father with the mother cornered at one end of the room ready to fire the fatal shot. Only a few of the chambers of the revolver (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

John S. McCullough Succeeds Griffith

Clerk of Deaf and Blind Institution Is Elected Treasurer.

BERKELEY, Jan. 21.—John S. McCullough Jr. was last evening elected treasurer of the California Institution for the Deaf and the Blind in this city. He succeeds W. E. Griffith whose tragic death was of recent occurrence. McCullough has been clerk of the institution for the past four years. In the future his office will combine both the duties of clerk and treasurer. He is to take office at once.

General Rojas and Sixty Rebels Killed in Battle

EL PASO, Jan. 21.—Federal confirmation was made here today of a rebel defeat Sunday at Ahumada, eighty miles below Juarez. General Antonio Rojas, it was stated, was among the rebels killed. Some 600 rebels attacked Ahumada, defended by 200 federal infantry, says the Mexican consular report. Just as the fight was at its height the entire Twenty-third Battalion arrived from the state capital. A big ship's cannon, carried on the train, was aimed against the rebels, routing them. Of the field sixty bodies were counted. The federal loss was slight. Rebel scouts have been sighted a few miles below Juarez and all attempts to repair the Mexican Central railway were abandoned today.

Thieves Beat Victim, Then Rob Him of \$4000 in Gems

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—Suspicion aroused by the flash of a big diamond on the finger of a poorly dressed young man resulted in the arrest of James Conley and Harry Payne, who confessed today that they had beaten William McDowell, an elderly retired rancher from Walla Walla, Wash., almost to death, and then robbed him of \$4000 worth of jewelry. They not only took the jewelry from McDowell, but deprived him of every stitch of underwear, which he had on when the two young men attacked him. McDowell was unconscious when detectives entered his room and was still in a prostrate condition late today.

Outlook for Peace Now Takes On Brighter Hue

VIENNA, Jan. 21.—Increasing optimism was displayed today in telegrams from Constantinople regarding the peace situation. Even should the Ottoman government's reply to Europe's note of advice be unsatisfactory it is thought that the powers, having once taken hold of the situation, will not allow the belligerents to resume warlike operations.

Police Seek Auto Bandit; Garage Owner Surrenders

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Frank Madia, owner of the Michigan avenue garage which was used as headquarters of the automobile bandit, surrendered today, while the city's police force was in the midst of its search for Robert Webb, the gang's chauffeur, who yesterday shot and killed Peter Hart. Madia was surrendered by his attorney, who advised him to tell everything he knew of the desperadoes who for weeks have laughed at the police and have leveled toll on shopkeepers and others in nearly every part of Chicago. After having murdered Detective Hart with the officer's own revolver, Webb made his fourth escape in eleven days. He was one of the motor crew who shot Policeman Frederick Slicker on January 9. On January 14 he jumped from a window and eluded the police; last Saturday he was arrested and released on the word of Madia, gang headquarters keeper; yesterday he killed Hart and fled.

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TAFT'S TASTE IN MUSIC IS SCORED

Wife of Senator From Massa-
chusetts Shocks Society
at Capital.

At Same Time, Another Says
the Social Set Lacks
Self-Control.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—President Taft's taste in music was criticized and the popularity of the "turkey trot," the "chicken flip" and other modern dances "as condemned at a meeting over which Mrs. William Murray Crane, wife of the Senator from Massachusetts, presided and today capital society is suffering from shock. The arrangement of "ragtime" in the White House and the dances in question at society's functions was made at a meeting last night of the Monday Evening Club, a T. M. C. A. organization, Louis Ottenberg, a lawyer and a leader in the club, was the critic of the President. "I have heard," he said, "that one of the reasons why President-elect Wilson requested the abandonment of the New Year's program played at the White House and the marine band, I looked up the program and found that out of twenty-eight numbers the majority were ragtime."

BLAMES SOCIETY.
Mrs. Charles H. Israel, chairman of the committee on amusements and recreations for working girls of New York, laid at the door of society the blame for the questionable dances indulged in on the floors of public halls. "What society lacks is self-control," she said. "Society, as a rule, however, does not dance the dances in an indecent way. But what society does not realize is that the little girl of the dance hall reads in the papers that Mrs. Blank danced the 'chicken flip' at her great ball, and does not know that it is not the same 'chicken flip' she dances in her dance hall. Society gives the seal of approval to these dances."

Root Favors Repeal
Of Free Toll Act

Senator Declares Question Must
Be Submitted to Impartial
Arbitration.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—"The United States should either submit the Panama free toll question to impartial arbitration, or retire from the position we have taken," was the declaration of Senator Root in the Senate today in a speech favoring repeal of the free toll provision of the new Panama Canal Act. Senator Root took the position that Congress should not have passed a law last summer that discriminated against foreign shipping and granted free tolls to American coastwise shipping. That action, he declared, had been a source of "great regret to multitudes of our fellow citizens" and had "created a painful impression throughout the world."

MANY WITNESSES ARE
ON COMMITTEE LIST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—A score of persons whose interests are affected by the agricultural schedule were on the witness list when the house committee on ways and means resumed its hearings this morning. They were supplemental to the long array of witnesses who testified yesterday regarding citrus fruit, apples, pears, nursery stock and other articles. Chairman Underwood has indicated that while the committee feels that labor cost is important, it is not the only consideration in solving the problem of the differences in the production cost.

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Round Steaks	12 1/2c per lb.
Rib Steaks	12 1/2c per lb.
Rib Boiling Beef	9c per lb.
Corned Beef	10c per lb.
Pot Roast	10c and 11c per lb.
Eastern Sugar Cured Hams	18 1/2c per lb.
Boneless Cottage Rolls	16 1/2c per lb.
Leaf Lard	9 lbs. for \$1.00
Pork Shoulder Roast	11 1/2c per lb.

Washington Market

9th and Washington Streets

GIRL PREVENTS MOTHER'S DEATH

Grasps Revolver in the Hand of
Father and Deflects
Bullet.

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were loaded and the father in attempting to fire had dropped the hammer over the empty chambers. Without heeding her danger Florence rushed at her father and seized the barrel of the revolver. As she did so the man pulled the trigger and a shot rang out. The girl was just in time as the bullet entered the wall above her mother's head. Finding that he had no other cartridges in the revolver Bergstrom attempted to wrest the weapon from the girl and started for his wife, intent upon using the butt end of the weapon to strike her. Florence clung tightly to his arm and the mother came to her daughter's assistance. Neighbors who had heard the shot summoned the police. The patrolmen arrived and found that the two women had succeeded in taking the weapon from Bergstrom's hand, but that the man was ready to renew the battle. Bergstrom was locked up for the night and a warrant was sworn to this morning.

SEEK DECISION ON U. S. MINERAL LAW

Oil Companies Ask Interpretation
in Suit Filed
in Court.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—In a suit filed in the Federal District Court here today the United States is seeking a judicial interpretation of the mineral laws relating to the ruling of the President to withdraw certain lands from entry, prior to the act of June 25, 1910, which specifically granted him such power. The action, which is a bill in equity is directed against the Midway Consolidated Oil Co. and 29 other individual concerns. Although it directly involves but 150 acres of petroleum land in Kern county, the court's decision in the case will directly affect the validity of thousands of such claims throughout the United States. United States District Attorney McCormick said the suit was filed solely for the purpose of testing the effect of an executive withdrawal order, which was issued by President Taft, September 27, 1909.

MRS. CLARA F. BARKER, CHURCHWOMAN, DIES

After an illness of two years Mrs. Clara Barker, churchwoman, died at her residence, 3567 Howe street, Mrs. Barker had made her home here for the past 30 years and during that period she displayed much interest in the growth of this city. She was a Sunday-school instructor in the Second Church of Christ, Scientist, in which she was loved and admired for her integrity of character and womanliness. Mrs. Barker was born 68 years ago in New Brunswick, Canada, where she received her early education. The decedent is survived by two sons, J. Hal Barker, Fowler Barker and a daughter, Elizabeth Barker.

HERE'S CHANCE TO GET ON LOCAL POLICE FORCE

The civil service board is calling for applicants for the position of patrolman for the Oakland police department. Applicants must be men with the board by not later than February 8, 1913. Applicants must be residents of Oakland for five years and between the ages of 25 and 35 years.

There is a splendid opportunity in the police service under the present regime. The salary paid patrolmen is \$1274 to \$1404 per annum, with the opportunity of advancing to the highest position in the police department.

E. W. Brown

on box 25c

CUSTOMS GUARDS GET HIGHER PAY

Oakland: Employees of Govern-
ment Will Benefit by
the Order.

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Buckley, Henry L. Halliday, William H. J. Deasy, Charles E. Langhans, Rudolph W. Mencke, Daniel W. McNeill. TO APPOINT LABORERS. The following will receive \$350 per annum. John S. Ramey, Charles B. White, Edward Sukahan, George B. Balk, Charles J. Gavin, John McGeehan, Peter W. Craigie, Charles G. Gray, Herman M. Frowell, George E. Manley, Albin N. Smith, Robert R. Harris, Elias Ellison, James H. Smith, Elmer J. Gallagher, Emanuel E. Varkan. Max H. Miller, Michael Burns and Walter B. Brennan are raised to \$450 per annum. In addition the collector has been authorized on his recommendation to appoint 20 regular laborers who will receive compensation at the rate of \$340 per annum, also the right to have 30 days' vacation each year, and a sick leave of 30 days on full pay. This will do away practically with the so-called list of temporary laborers who are paid when employed. In this entire matter Collector Stratton has had the assistance and co-operation of Surveyor of Customs Duncan E. McKinley.

TO CONFER WITH MEN.

Twelve hundred employees of the customs service in Oakland and San Francisco have been invited by Collector of Port Frederick Stratton to consult and visit with him during the present month. They have been bidden to come separately and each hold a conference with the collector. This move was made by Stratton in view of the fact that he has been for more than a year in his present position and desires to show his cordiality toward those employed in the customs service. His request that each employee see him includes the highest officials from Special Deputy Collector W. E. Hamilton to those who act as clerks and runners and those who are employed as charwomen. No distinction has been made between officials and during the next two weeks almost the entire time of the collector will be taken up with these visits.

EXAMINE JURORS IN DARROW TRIAL

Five Tentative Members in the
Box; Little Progress
Made.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—Examinations of veniremen today in the second trial of Clarence S. Darrow, the McNamara attorney, accused of jury bribery, brought no result so far as the procuring of a jury was concerned. There were five tentative jurors left in the box last night, and there still five when court recessed for lunch. Judge Connelley, Madera county jurist, who is presiding at the trial, made a ruling, however, that no man who entertained any bias against labor unions or against Darrow, because of his reputation as an advocate and counsel for labor leaders accused of crime, could serve on the jury. The court's ruling was made when Deputy District Attorney Ford tried to obtain a statement from Veniamin Joseph Venable, a Glendale rancher, that despite prejudice against labor unions he could still give Darrow an impartial trial. Venable was promptly excused.

READ DINNER MENU OVER TELEPHONE

Wife Got Little Satisfaction
Out of French Meal;
Sued Husband.

Evelyn Mickelson Battelle accused her husband, Charles B. Battelle, of failure to provide for her. He has been in the county jail for the last three months endeavoring to get his case straightened out for a hearing. When the case was first called for Superior Judge Ellisworth last year Battelle pleaded guilty and asked for probation. In some manner he learned that the report of the probation officer would not be favorable to him and he then went into court with a petition to withdraw his plea of guilty and substitute one of the guilty with the privilege of standing trial. His petition was granted and the trial was set for today. Mrs. Battelle, however, her husband had telephoned to her from San Francisco and read the menu of a French dinner which he said he was about to eat while she had but a glass of milk that day as sustenance. Battelle claimed after his arrest that he was heir to a large fortune in New York. He is a tea taster by trade. While confined in the county jail he wrote letters to the St. Regis hotel in New York asking for rates.

URGES ACQUISITION OF NEW LAND FOR PARK

The park commission plans to urge the acquisition of a strip of lake frontage land by the city adjoining Lake Merritt park to complete the span of park land around Lake Merritt. A resolution has been passed by the park board and will be submitted to the City Council within a few days asking that several hundred feet of land between Bellevue avenue and the lake and Grand avenue and Perkins street be negotiated for.

FOG SIGNAL LIGHT COMPANY FORMED

Articles of incorporation of the Fog Signal Light Company with a capital stock of \$100,000 were filed today with the county clerk, with M. J. Lawrence, J. E. Sloan, both of Oakland, and R. J. Douglas, of San Francisco as subscribers to 100 shares each at the part value of \$1. The corporation was formed, according to the papers, for the manufacture and marketing of fog signal, light buoys and other marine appliances.

CANADIAN TOWN BADLY DAMAGED BY BLAZE

EDMONTON, Alberta, Jan. 21.—The business section of Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta, thirty miles from here, was wiped out by fire today. The fire reached a quarter of a million dollars, with the fire not yet under control.

U. S. MAY RUSH SHIP TO MEXICO

Fears Fate of Americans at
the Hands of Mexican
Bandits.

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Florida, arrived at Colon last night for target practice, while the remainder of the big fleet is at Guantanamo. Any of the dreadnaughts make about 20 knots an hour. The torpedo boats, Roe, Drayton, McCall, Terry, Paulding, Barrett and Warrington, of much faster speed, could transport marines a little quicker. The distance from Colon to Vera Cruz is about 1500 miles and the distance to the remainder of the fleet is about the same. The big ships could make it in three days. ORDERED TO ACAPULCO. Prepared to reinforce the cruiser at Acapulco, Mexico, for the protection of Americans, the cruiser Annapolis has been ordered to San Diego, whence the Denver was ordered south. While the Annapolis has no marines aboard they might easily be transferred to her from other ships. Officials say there is no intention of sending the Annapolis to Acapulco now. The Denver got away from San Diego Saturday and should be at Acapulco tomorrow. Meanwhile a British warship is standing in the harbor ready to take on Americans and other foreigners should they be endangered.

YANKS BEAT MEXICANS.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21.—Three Americans dining in a restaurant here took umbrage at insulting remarks made by Mexicans, and using only threats, friction and physical force required the combined efforts of twelve policemen to arrest the Americans. Several policemen were badly used. In the streets the crowds cried "Death to the gringos!" and tried to kill the Americans. No Mexicans were arrested. Consul-General Shanklin is making every effort to secure the release of the Americans, who claim self-defense.

CUPID AFLOUT OF OLD DAD NEPTUNE

Lovers Are Kept Apart by Odd
String of Cross-Pacific
Tangles.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Cupid, in his endeavors to bring about a match between Miss Eva E. Walworth, a Sydney society girl, and J. C. M. Scott, a Sydney society boy, has been severely tried by old Father Neptune. The two lovers have been tossed back and forth by a prank of the old sea god, but now it appears as though the marriage will surely take place at Sydney for which destination Miss Walworth will leave here February 5 on the liner Aorangi. The couple made each other's acquaintance last March when Miss Walworth sailed from the Antipodes for San Francisco on Scott's boat. They became engaged on board and would have been married had not the bride-to-be become so ill that she had to be taken ashore at Tahiti to wait for another steamer. Meanwhile Scott was transferred to the liner Aorangi and met between the couple went astray. Letters received today straightened out the tangle and Miss Walworth will meet her sweetheart on the other side of the world just a year after their first acquaintance.

Y. W. C. A. OFFICERS HOLD MEETING

Annual Session of the Board of
Directors of Association
Takes Place.

The annual meeting of the board of directors of the Young Women's Christian Association was held today in the parlors of the boarding home on Franklin street, in the absence of Mrs. Grace Fisher, president of the Association. Mrs. J. B. Richardson presided over the luncheon which preceded the session. The speakers were Miss Ida Greene, general secretary of the association, who outlined the work of the committees for the year; Mrs. Warren Olney, a member of the territorial committee, who spoke on "Deeds from the Field," and Miss Ella Schooley, formerly general secretary of the St. Louis association, who gave her observations upon "A Model Committee." The following chairmen of the various committees read reports: Travelers' aid, Mrs. J. B. Richardson; physical department, Mrs. Florence Gray; religious work, Mrs. Russell Whitman; educational, Mrs. F. C. Turner; music, Mrs. Spencer Riley; social, Mrs. John H. Beckwith; finance, Mrs. H. P. Carlton; membership, Mrs. J. H. Blacklock; employment, Mrs. F. P. Jackson; cafeteria, Mrs. Levensaler; and boarding home, Mrs. Charles Rowe.

CITY TO ASK FOR TELEPHONE BOND

Attorney Instructed to Report
to the Council on
Matter.

City Attorney Ben F. Woolner was this morning instructed to report to the city council the situation with regard to the merger of the Bay County Home Telephone Company with the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, and to render an opinion as to the advisability of connecting with the latter company. The city council plans to direct the city attorney to proceed with the proposed company in a different manner from that used in San Francisco and Berkeley. In these cases the merger of the two corporations was attacked in the courts. It is planned in Oakland to make no attack upon this, but to attempt to obtain a forfeiture of the bond of \$100,000 filed by the old Home Telephone Company. It would not sell out to any other corporation without the consent of the city council of Oakland.

REMEMBERS POOR BEFORE WEDDING

Helen Gould Gives Feast for a
Thousand Men in Bowery
Mission.

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hundred unfortunates who had collected for the service that Miss Gould was to see that they were happy on her wedding day, the chapel reverberated with thunderous applause for the benefactress whom they all loved. Perhaps no wedding has ever awakened the interest of the masses as have the coming of the wedding of Helen Gould. Yesterday, following a rumor that Miss Gould and her fiancé were to procure their marriage license on that day, the crowds surged about the entrance of the marriage license bureau and in the city hall past and waited for an hour in the hope of seeing the couple. REHEARSE FOR WEDDING. The announcement of the clerks at the bureau that the license would probably be secured at Irvington, Westchester county, where Miss Gould may claim residence, did not disperse the crowd, who thinking it was a hoax to get them away, stayed on until long after noon. Miss Gould and her fiancé and her two little nieces, Helen and Dorothy, who will be flower girls at the wedding, and Louis J. Shepard, who will act as best man for his brother, went to Lynhurst today to rehearse for the wedding. It was learned today that the number of guests invited to the ceremony tomorrow was not more than seventy-five, including all the members of the Gould and Shepard families, except Shepard's mother, who is ill.

NUPTIALS TO BE SIMPLE.

Although arrangements for the wedding were completed today, Shepard said that none of the details would be announced until tomorrow morning. It is known, however, that it will be long remembered for its simplicity, privacy and lack of lavish display. The ceremony will be performed at 12:30 p. m. There will be no ushers and aside from the little flower girls, a bridesmaid and groomsmen, it is said there will be no other attendants. As far as pomp and splendor are concerned this wedding will in every way differ from that of Miss Helen's sister Anna, whose marriage to Count Boni de Castellane several years ago was notable for its ostentatious and lavish display. No hint as to where the honeymoon is to be spent has been divulged. It was said at the offices of George Gould yesterday that not even Miss Gould's brother and sisters have been told where the wedding will go.

SEEK OBSCURITY.

Shepard said that after their marriage, Miss Gould, though she would be just as active in her philanthropy and benevolent work among the poor as formerly, would be less prominent personally and that they both hoped that after the wedding they might live a life of obscurity. He also said that there would be no pictures published of the bride, though many fine ones had been taken recently, as Miss Gould had determined years ago that no photographs of herself would adorn the columns of a newspaper or any other publication. "The pictures that are already out we cannot recall," said Shepard, "but none of the late ones will be given to the press."

WEDDING GIFTS MANY.

A stream of messengers bearing wedding presents poured through the grounds of Miss Gould's estate today. Gifts came from wealthy friends of the bride-elect; from friends on the Bowery and the East Side for whom she has done much in the past; from the army, the navy, railroad organizations and various vessels of a treasure trove of a handsome rope of pearls from George J. Gould; a corsage ornament of diamonds from Frank Gould; Howard Gould, it is said, has given his sister a rare art treasure he purchased recently in Paris. The wedding guests have been restricted to members of both families and a few friends. Miss Gould and her fiancé had not taken out their marriage license early this afternoon.

LAST MEETING OF OLD DIRECTORS

Chamber of Commerce to Bid
Officials Farewell This
Evening.

The final meeting of the chamber of commerce under the 1912 directorate is to be held this evening. Reports of President W. E. Gibson, Secretary A. A. Denison and the various committees will be heard and the meeting will be thrown open to the members for suggestions as to policy, ways and means, new ideas or any other communication that may be presented.

COOK CAPTURED AND ACCUSED OF THEFT

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Charles Hunter, a cook, was captured by citizens this morning and turned over to Patrolman Colman, who booked him at the Southern station for robbery. Carl Ellis, a steward on the steamer Dalry, was waiting along Fourth street when three men came up behind him, hustled him into the doorway of the St. Clement Hotel, 215 Fourth street, and went through his pockets, taking \$32. He made an outcry, and Irwin Thoen and William Drunke pursued the trio, capturing Hunter. After Officer Colman arrived and received the prisoner, Ellis positively identified him as the man who had robbed him.

HEAVY ICE FLOES RUSH DOWN COLORADO RIVER

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—Work on the big government dyke near Fort Meade has been practically suspended according to official reports today, because the Indian laborers employed on the project are fleeing in terror from the ice floes that are rushing down the Colorado river. The Indians are adept at shooting the rapids which abound in the big stream, but the ice driven by the recent cold weather has filled the river and they fear to trust themselves to the turbulent currents. This is the first time that ice in such quantities has ever been seen on the Colorado river in this latitude.

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HUBBY OBJECTED WHEN LIGHT WAS DOUSED

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Superior Judge Van Nostrand granted a divorce today to Aurora Castner from Fred Castner on the charge of cruelty. The couple lived at Ingleside, and Mrs. Castner set forth that her spouse had tried to burn her alive and had threatened to put her in an insane asylum. The burning episode was not so horrible in the telling. She testified that her spouse had placed a lamp in the window and had been allowed to smoke and that when she had run upstairs and thrown a blanket over it, he left the house for good.

Will Give Up His Office on Last Day

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 21.—President-Elect Wilson announced this afternoon that he would not relinquish his office as governor of New Jersey until March 3, the day he leaves here for his inauguration at Washington.

ACCUSED CONSPIRATORS RELEASED ON BONDS

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Jan. 21.—Wm. E. Reddin of Milwaukee and W. B. Brown and W. J. McCain of Kansas City, convicted in connection with the dynamite conspiracy, were released from the federal prison on bonds shortly after noon today.

INHERITANCE TAX IS FIXED FOR ESTATE


SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—The inheritance tax in the estate of William Mintzner, who died several months ago, was fixed this morning at \$11,270.16. The total value of the property is placed at \$208,724.25.

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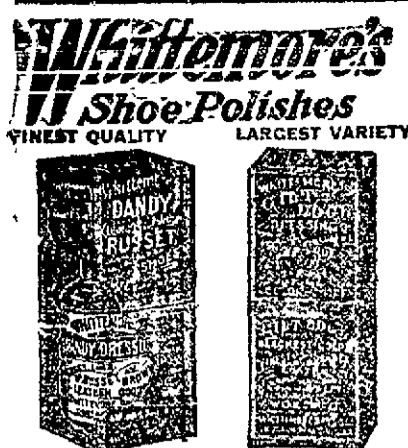
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DISSOLUTION OF MERGER DISCUSSED

Representatives of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific See Wickersham.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Representatives of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific Railroads conferred today with Attorney-General Wickersham about the decree to carry out the mandate of the Supreme Court ordering the dissolution of the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific merger. The Attorney-General had previously discussed the situation separately with Union Pacific and Southern Pacific representatives, but today was the first time the two interests had been brought into joint negotiations before the Attorney-General. The conferees today included Robert S. Lovett, Frank A. Vanderlip, Mortimer L. Schiff and Maxwell Evans. The result of the conference was not disclosed, although it is believed to have related primarily to the details of the proposed transfer of the Central Pacific Railroad from the Southern Pacific to the Union Pacific.

POLICEMEN RAID GAMBLING RESORT

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Police-men Welch and Loggren raided a Stockton street resort this morning and arrested ten men. M. Yama was booked as keeper of a gambling resort and nine visitors were taken to the city prison for playing in the place.

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BIG CLOSED CAR SALES REPORTED

Demand Shows Trend of Motor Buyers' Viewpoint on the Closed Vehicles.

(By EDMUND CRINNION.)

Statisticians of the automobile industry are marveling this year at the enormous increase in the sales of closed cars of all types which indicates that the motor car has at last become an all-year round vehicle.

The most progressive concerns, which keep accurate records to serve as a barometer of sales conditions in all sections of the country, will be interested in the results of an investigation made by the Thomas B. Jeffery Company, indicating that enclosed car sales are no longer confined to large centers of population, but are being made by dealers in smaller towns and, in some cases, to well-to-do farmers throughout the Middle West.

Business men generally are looking upon the closed car from a different point of view than that assumed a few years ago. Time was when the closed car was considered a social vehicle, or at least a conveyance for people who were exceptionally well to do. In fact, it was once considered an extreme luxury.

Now the price of the closed car has been brought down to a point where it is possible for the average man who could afford an open car to purchase a combination open and closed car at a price that is reasonable, as automobile values go.

The most popular type of this car, according to the Thomas B. Jeffery Company, is that of the Sedan which is designed especially for the man who likes to drive himself. The Gotham type, which has a forward and rear compartment, is next in line. This is a light limousine type built on a 32-horse power chassis and a combination price is made when the Cross Country body is taken. This is a popular seller because many people desire to have an open car in summer in addition to a closed car in winter.

NEW FEATURES AT SHOW.

One of the novelties that has appeared in this year's National Automobile Show in the Madison Square Garden, is the method of locking the top of an open car securely to the wind-shield supports, which is among the several new features brought out by the Stevens-Duryea factory. This makes the top of the open car pretty nearly as staunch as if it were immovable. Besides, it closes the objectionable gap which there is between the wind-shield and the top in the old-fashioned arrangement. It does away with disfiguring straps and guys, etc. This is one of the incidental features, so to speak, which give the Stevens-Duryea people ground for their claim that their new C-32 is the most remarkable car of the year—in fact, the most remarkable car for several years—and sets new standards for fine automobiles.

KISSEL CHEMICAL TRUCK.

The city of Quincy, Mass., is delighted with the new hose and chemical truck built for it by the Kissel Motor Car Company of Hartford, Wis. The test of the new apparatus was as severe as could be made. The Wollaston hills being selected for the first trial run. Besides the heavy equipment, the truck carried 21 men, yet took the steep grades at high speed with apparently the greatest ease. ALAMEDA COUNTY REGISTRATIONS. 91357—Cecil W. C. Hitchcock, 28 Glen avenue, Oakland, 20246, Abbot-Det. 41. 91358—M. A. Fessler, 5975 Claremont Av., Oakland, Packard 30. 91359—Helen W. Smith, 4613 Adelphi St., Oakland, 36088, Chalmers V9, car. 91360—Earl W. Rhodes, 1916 Haste St., Berkeley, 153297, Ford 20. 91361—Charles Henry Shattuck, 1100 Paru St., Alameda, 7115, Oakland 30. 91362—Swift & Wilcox, 2840 Shattuck Av., Berkeley, 21010, Studebaker 30.

"PATROLMAN SMITH, M. D." ALSO "L. L. D." ETC.

LOWELL, Mass., Jan. 21.—Lowell policemen are to be schooled in the primary knowledge of physicians and lawyers. Members of those two professions are to give the police daily lectures so that they may be able to all times to give first aid to the injured and to decide without consultation such matters as "when does a man's howl constitute his castle and when does it not?"

This is the order of Mayor O'Donnell, who adds that he is going to have moving pictures taken of the police in their work-a-day duties, and of the firemen as they answer their calls. These pictures will be shown in the local theaters for the purpose of making the public familiar with the arduous work of the men in uniform and of creating a popular sentiment in their favor.

WESTERN PACIFIC LINES TIED UP BY LANDSLIDE

Avalanche Buries Tracks in Feather River District; Traffic Again Suspended

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—The Western Pacific railroad is again tied up, this time by a land and rock slide that has buried 400 feet of its main line track at a point midway between Big Bar and Tobin, in the heart of the Feather river canyon. Just when the line will be opened is questionable. It may be opened Thursday. It may not be opened until later.

The slide occurred early Monday morning at a point about forty miles north of Oroville, and at a point where it is impossible to build any sort of a detour or shanty track. The heavy snowstorm of last week was followed by a warm, but drizzling rain. It was the rain that started the avalanche. The track skirts a rather steep ledge on one side and on the other is the feather river. Early in the morning, rocks, brush and trees started down the ledge by the rain rolled down the ledge with terrific force, finally landing on the track and burying 400 feet of rails.

Special crews and machinery were dispatched at once to the scene, but so effective was the barrier that the workers were forced to wait until powder could be dispatched from this city. Yesterday the men began the work of blasting the rock from the track, and today it is expected that with most of the blasting finished, the steam shovels can remove the small rock. As soon as it was learned that the delay would be more than one of a few hours the passenger and freight officials here arranged for detouring passengers and perishables. West-bound freight was delivered at Winnemucca to the Southern Pacific and picked up again by the Western

WOULD REVISE THE MONETARY SYSTEM

Former Representative Charles N. Fowler Outlines Some Suggestions.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Former Representative Charles N. Fowler of New Jersey outlined to the House Currency Reform Committee today his suggestion for revision of the monetary system. He proposed that all national banks be authorized to do commercial savings and trust company business and make notes, as Canadian banks do; that all holding companies of banks be prohibited; and that all banks be compelled to carry the same amount of reserve as the gold. All banks should be under federal control, he contended, as banking was interstate business and that clearing-houses should be established at all of the commercial centers to be designated as commercial zones under the management of boards.

Bankers' council to act as a court of appeals for each one, composed of business men and bankers, he also proposed. A deputy United States comptroller would preside over each board. By having all banks in the United States contribute from 7 to 10 per cent of their deposits to a central reserve fund, estimated at a gold reserve of upwards of \$1,500,000,000, he contended, he would be able to control the money supply. Such a plan Fowler told the committee would enable such an organization as he contended, to have a government of gold to and from the United States, and enforce a discount rate for gold transactions. His chief results, he said, would be to make each bank independent, to make each bank independent of another, and to decentralize all bank credit in the United States.

AMERICAN WOMAN MAY BE BRIGAND'S VICTIM

ROME, Jan. 21.—The Italian authorities are investigating the disappearance from Salerno, on Lake Garda, of Mrs. William Mansfield, an American, but all inquiries have failed to confirm in any way a report that she is held by brigands.

The Verona correspondent of the Giornale d'Italia says that, although it has been reported that Mrs. Mansfield went to Verona from Salerno to draw money from a bank, and had since been lost track of, the fact is that Mrs. Mansfield departed for Salerno immediately after cashing an American check for \$80. She told a hotel keeper that she came to Verona to buy paint brushes. There is no evidence that Mrs. Mansfield stayed for any length of time at any of the Verona hotels.

GIVES GOOD COIN FOR RAISED BILL

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—R. D. Nicholas, a restaurant keeper of 403 Ellis street, encountered the raised-bill passer at a late hour last night, but did not recognize him. Had he done so he would have saved himself \$19, as he handed out the amount in change for a \$20 note raised from \$1. He reported the occurrence to Policeman Cullinan, but declared that he would hold on to the bill and give it only to United States Secret Service Agent Harry Moffitt.

NEWS OF FATAL ILLNESS CAUSES MAN'S INSANITY

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—When told by his physician that he could not recover from a malady of long standing, J. D. Moore, a young electrical engineer, who came to Los Angeles several weeks ago from Chicago in the hope of regaining his health, went violently insane and is said to be dying today in a hospital. The wedding of Moore and Miss Marie Hardy of Chicago had been arranged for May 1913, at Omaha, Neb. Moore is 28 years old.

OCEANSIDE TO BE CITY OF DROUGHT

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 21.—Oceanside voted on the prohibition question yesterday and went "dry" by a vote of 141 to 110. The town has been "dry" for several years, but has permitted what are termed "table licenses" to hotels. Under yesterday's vote the place will be entirely "dry."

JAPANESE ROBBED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—K. T. Nakamura, of 1529 La Grange street, was walking along Kearny street, near Jackson, this morning when a robber seized his watch and ran.

BEN HUR'S STORY TOLD ONCE MORE

Spectacle as Magnificent as Ever; None of Its Appeal Is Lost.

CHARACTERS IN PRELUDE
Ben Hur, Judah, son of David
Messala, the Egyptian
Walter M. Sherwin
Simonides, the Greek
William Hume
Melchior, the Hindu
William Blackmore
Othello, the Moor
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(By LEO LEVY.)

It is a commentary on people that "Ben-Hur," many seasons old, should retain its power to draw great crowds to the theater and to excite their appreciation in quantities that cause wonder. Other plays whose religious appeal is identical will never gain the popularity attained by the production now at the Macdonough. The Servant in the House and The Passing of the Third Floor Back, for instance, needs must be interpreted by actors of acquired fame to draw at all.

For the people would not have their religious sentimentality nor taught their children to be otherwise. And those two plays do both in small doses. We'd rather have the glamour of romance thrown over our instruction, would have the edge taken off the preachment by brilliancy of scenery and we choose the voice of the pastor be drowned out by hub-bub of stage mechanics.

LOSES NONE OF ITS CHARM.

That is for those who drink in the sentiment of "Ben-Hur." For the others, who glory in the play as a magnificent spectacle, it loses none of its charm in present telling. The production now at the Macdonough is of the magnitude of former stagings, employs a multitude of persons in its enactment and is magnificently mounted. Its story, recounted a dozen times in your life of the last few years, need not be repeated now. Suffice it to say the present company tells it well.

Thomas Holding's Judah shows well the stages in Ben-Hur's life, but is often lacking in portraiture of the youth's misery. Holding depends too much on declamation and not at all on facial expression. Although prone to substitute "th" for "re" and to make of "them," "thum," he reads his lines with intelligence and feeling.

Miss Alice Haynes is a delightful Esther, and Ben S. Mears gives Simonides faithful handling. Messala is characteristically in the hands of Wedgwood Newell. Muriel Godfrey-Turner, as the servant of the house, is in the robes of Iras. The cast is capable and hard-working throughout.

HISTORY IN PLENTY.

"Ben-Hur" is saturated with history, bristles with incident that is valuable for the student of the years. Life, customs and places are dealt with skillfully. It appeals from a dozen other standpoints. But it is religious sentiment, after all, that has gone to make its universal popularity. And it isn't strange that those who worship Ben-Hur for just that, should be so ready to their feet shouting madly, when Judah, Prince of Jerusalem, humbles Messala in that deafening chariot race in the arena at Antioch.

The age has brought us up on clapping and noise and we live on it, inside the theater and out.

"Ben-Hur" will be seen at the Macdonough tonight, Wednesday and Thursday, with matinees Wednesday and Thursday.

TO PROTEST AGAINST PRISONERS' DETENTION

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Frustrated thus far in his attempt to secure the release of Edward Mylius, who is denied admission to the United States because he was convicted in England of libeling King George, Edward Holton James, editor of the Paris Liberator, is planning to join forces with sympathizers for the release of Castro of Venezuela. In a public protest meeting at Cooper Union next Monday night, Castro and Mylius are both being detained at Ellis Island.

BACHELORS DELINQUENT DECLARES MINISTER

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 21.—Bachelors are delinquent, according to Rev. S. Frazer Langford, pastor of the First Baptist church here. "I don't believe there is excuse for so many unmarried men of 30. Too many drift into bachelorhood through too careful consideration of their own welfare," he says. Langford says every young man fit physically and mentally should marry before 30.

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LOADING STATION OF TRAMWAY DESTROYED

CODOVA, Alaska, Jan. 21.—The loading station of the tramway line at the Bonanza copper mine at Kennecott was destroyed by fire yesterday. The burning building fell into the canyon, breaking the tramway towers and putting the tramway out of commission. The loss is estimated at \$50,000. Fifty men will be out of work until the damage is repaired. The fire was caused by an overheated stove.

CHLOROFORMED AND ROBBED OF SAVINGS

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 21.—Anton Parnesia, in charge of a Northern Pacific boarding house at Northern Junction, last Saturday night was chloroformed and robbed of \$2200, which he had managed to save in years of work in order to return to Italy next spring and purchase a farm. One of Parnesia's fellow laborers was arrested here and charged with the theft.

"BLOOD IS THICKER THAN WATER"

Without good red blood a man has a weak heart and poor nerves. Thinness of the blood, or anemia, is common in young folks as well as old. Especially is it the case with those who work in the ventilated factories—or those who are shut up indoors in winter time with a coal stove burning up the oxygen or emitting carbonic oxide gas. This blood, or blood which lacks the red blood corpuscles, in anemic people may have been caused by lack of good fresh air breathed into lungs, or by poor digestion or dyspepsia. Sometimes people suffer intense pain over the heart which is not heart disease at all, but caused by indigestion. Whatever the cause, there's just one remedy that you can turn to—knowing that it has given satisfaction for over 40 years.

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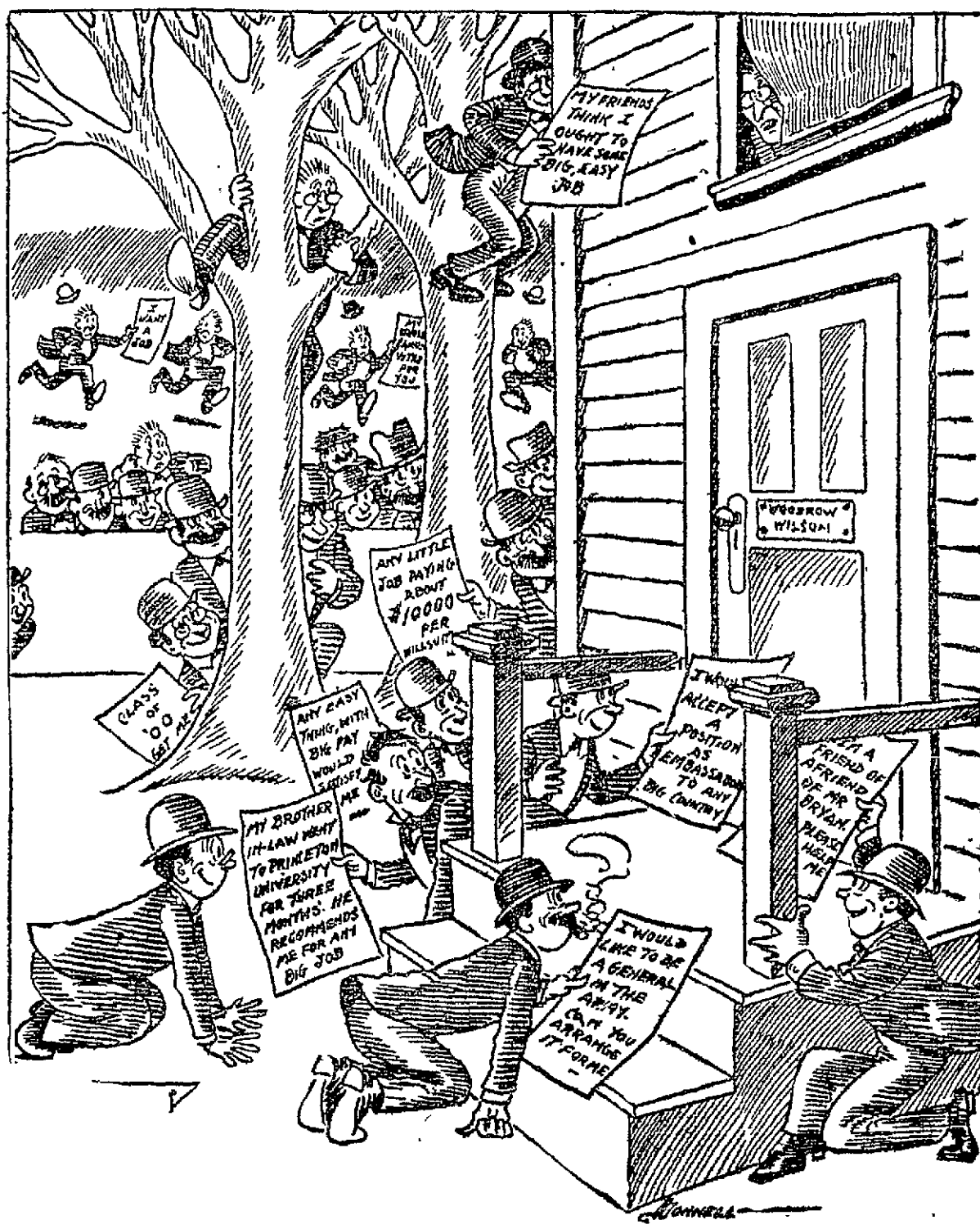
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**How to Avoid Serious
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The serious forms of kidney or bladder disease, such as Bright's disease, chronic rheumatism or dread diabetes, can be easily avoided if taken in time. The following simple formula should be taken as soon as first symptoms are noticed: Get six ounces best gin, add to it one-half ounce of Muxin Compound and one-half ounce of Buchu. Take one to two teaspoonfuls of this mixture after each meal and at bed time. It quickly stops back pains, rheumatic pains in the joints, dizziness and other well known indications which show weakness of these much worked organs.

The ingredients of this formula can be had in any well stocked drug store and are easily mixed.

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PRESTIGE

**INDIANS LEAVE
HIDING PLACE**

Whereabouts of Utes Is Not Known, Is Report of Settlers.

CORTEZ, Colo., Jan. 21.—Without leaving any trace of their whereabouts, the band of fifty Ute Indians who left the reservation Saturday rather than live on the reservation, are reported to have left their stronghold in the mountains early yesterday. John Spears, the Indian agent, declared he did not know where the Indians had gone, whether back to the reservation or further into the range. If the Indians were on the reservation, however, they were not located and are in hiding.

So threatened by the attitude of the Utes become that the white citizens of southwestern Colorado, in the immediate vicinity of the reservation, have armed themselves and are anxiously looking for a desperate outbreak. The Utes who have remained on the reservation are becoming greatly excited and it is believed they are arming themselves.

**WOMEN JUMP FROM CAR;
INJURED AS RESULT**

Two women were injured last evening when they became frightened at a fuse in a street car exploding and jumped. The women were Mrs. J. J. Fairman, 1320 Center street and Mrs. Margaret Dooley, 1173 Nineteenth street. The accident occurred on East Fourteenth street, near the intersection of the street with the railroad tracks. The women were attending by Dr. E. Delarue.

**HOW MRS. BROWN
SUFFERED**

During Change of Life—How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her a Well Woman.

Iola, Kansas.—"During the Change of Life I was sick for two years. Before I took your medicine I could not bear the weight of my clothes and was bloated very badly. I doctored with three doctors but they did me no good. They said nature must have its way. My sister advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I purchased a bottle. Before it was gone the bloating left me and I was not so sore. I continued taking it until I had taken twelve bottles. Now I am stronger than I have been for years and can do all my work, even the washing. Your medicine is worth its weight in gold. I cannot praise it enough. If more women would take your medicine there would be more healthy women. You may use this letter for the good of others."—Mrs. D. E. Brown, 809 N. Walnut St., Iola, Kan.

Change of Life is one of the most critical periods of a woman's existence. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

**Save Money, Avoid Pain
Teeth Extracted
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MONDAY—Week days, 9 to 6, Sunday 10 to 2.

**CONFESSES MURDER
OF MAN IN S. F.**

Joseph Gray Tells of Slaying Gambler and Throwing Body Into Surf.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—That Joseph Gray, alias Farnum Daley, who surrendered himself to the constable at Barstow on January 15, may really be the man in this city despite the fact that the body of the victim has not been recovered, seems not only possible, but probable from a communication received this morning by Chief White. The letter comes from J. E. Harris, constable and deputy sheriff. He begins by saying: "Daley surrendered to me after walking through the sand storm and rain and after being for three days with nothing to eat."

The tale of the confessed murderer is to the effect that he left New York the week before Christmas and arrived in San Francisco December 28, intending to look for a position and lead an upright life. He says that on a main street of the city he met Fred Hollis. He had known Hollis, he claims, in New York as a gambler and a crook and had worked for him as a lookout in gambling joints, had investigated his place and had watched them being given knockout drops. He told Constable Harris that when he met Hollis he accompanied the other on a trolley ride to Golden Gate park and later went to the beach. He told Hollis that he wanted to be straight, although the other offered some similar employment to that he held in the metropolis. When he refused he claims Hollis struck him and he drew a knife and plunged it into Hollis' body. He picked up the man to realize that he was dead and carried him into the ocean, walking as far as he could with safety.

He adds that he attempted suicide at Oceanview by taking chloral hydrate, he having fled to San Diego immediately after the killing.

Chief White has ordered a new investigation by reason of Harris' letter.

**GETS RELEASE
ON PROBATION**

C. H. Young, Accused of Practicing Medicine Without License, Is Freed.

C. H. Young, whose arrest was caused by the state board of medical examiners on a charge of practicing medicine without a license, was released on three months' probation this morning by Superior Judge W. S. Wells. The defendant was accused of administering a purported cure for tuberculosis which was in the form of a medicated dust. He pleaded guilty to the technicality of the charge, but stated that he had never been known as a doctor, but had merely called upon his patients and shown them how to take the treatment.

According to the report of Assistant Probation Officer S. Bruce Wright, Young's treatment had never resulted in any harm to patients, while on the other hand he had learned that many had been greatly benefited by inhaling the dust, which is a secret compound manufactured by the manufacturer of letters received by the probation office from physicians and persons who had been treated by Young spoke highly of the accused man. In several instances the writers declared that they had been helped considerably.

Judge Wells took occasion to remark from the bench that there were numerous other practitioners whose methods were more open to criticism than those of Young. The defendant told Attorney J. J. Van Couvering that he would discontinue dispensing the medicine contrary to the technicalities of the law.

**HOLD MEETING TO
DISCUSS VACCINATION**

Officers and members of the California Anti-Compulsory Vaccination League met last evening at the home of John A. Wilson, 1000 Broadway street, Berkeley, where they discussed the new vaccination law. The league has been protesting for a number of years against the compulsory act, which excludes children who have not been vaccinated from the public schools. Unless the pupils have reason for refusing to be vaccinated and have a written certificate signed by a physician, they will be unable to enter the schools of Berkeley next Monday.

**MOTORCYCLE VICTIM TO
BE BURIED TOMORROW**

The funeral of Lieutenant Charles A. Poltrath, who was killed Sunday afternoon in a motorcycle accident, will be held from the chapel of Smiley and Gallagher's undertaking parlor in Alameda tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Members of Company G of the Fifth Infantry will act as pallbearers and Chaplain A. W. T. Hicks will conduct the ceremony. An internment will take place in Mountain View cemetery.

**FLEES FROM BANDITS;
NOW SEEKS PROTECTION**

MELROSE, Jan. 21.—Believing that he was about to be held up when two men approached in a threatening manner shortly before daylight this morning Jack Hunter, of 840 Nineteenth avenue, broke and ran. The men asked Hunter for a match, but as he ran one of them remarked: "We'll get you yet." Police-man Henninger of the Melrose station has been detailed to investigate the details of the case as Hunter fears that he is in danger of bodily harm.

**SHAFER DIVORCE IS
GRANTED AT RENO**

RENO, Jan. 21.—Gillespie Shafer yesterday obtained a divorce from Allene Shafer of Oakland on grounds of cruelty, alleging his wife associated with a woman he did not want her to go with. He is a drug salesman and makes Reno his headquarters.

ECZEMA CURED IN 10 TO 20 DAYS.

The Paris Medicine Co., 224 Pine street, St. Louis, Mo., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine, have a new and wonderful discovery, GROVER'S SA-NARE CUTIC, which they guarantee to cure any case of ECZEMA, no matter of how long standing, in 10 to 20 days, and will refund money if it fails. GROVER'S SA-NARE CUTIC is perfectly clean and does not stain. If your druggist hasn't it, send us stamps and it will be sent by express.

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**MAY TRANSFER
LIQUOR LICENSE
OF MAN IN S. F.**

Ordinance Will Be Amended to Affect Permits in the Annexed District.

Amendment to the city liquor ordinance to permit the transfer of one liquor license from the annexed district down into the old city was provided for in the city council this morning and will give V. Bielawski an opportunity to obtain a saloon location. There is no room for Bielawski's saloon in the annexed district, but the city does not wish to lose the \$500 a year license Bielawski obtained the license held by J. E. Harris, constable and deputy sheriff, at Sixty-eighth and East Fourteenth street. This place had a bad reputation and as a result the residents objected to a renewal of the license for that location. Bielawski tried other locations. He has obtained the city council for a transfer of location, and in the past has won the consent of the district decided upon have come in and protested against the location.

No criticism is made of Bielawski or the manner in which he would conduct a saloon. This morning he petitioned again, and again the residents protested and the protest was sustained. All the available locations had been exhausted and Bielawski was at his wits' end. Final Commissioner C. T. Turner suggested that since the city considered the saloon business a legitimate one, some provision should be made for the man who has purchased property the license from his predecessor in business. "Why not amend the ordinance to permit the transfer of liquor licenses from the annexed district down into the old city?" asked Turner. "I move you that the city attorney present an amendment to that end."

The motion was carried. Commissioner Harry Anderson had moved that the protest be sustained and the motion was also sustained with regard to location petitioned for this morning.

**ADD TO BONDS
FOR TWELFTH
CASTRO PT. ROAD
MAY BE BIG 'LINK'**

The Building Trades Council Expresses Faith in Accused Labor Leaders.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—Sixty thousand dollars, it is said, would be paid to Olat A. Twitmore, convicted at Indianapolis of participation in the dynamite conspiracy and now confined in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kansas, was secured today at the convention of the California State Building Trades Council. Officers of the council to save Twitmore from the federal prison, Kansas, was secured today at the convention of the California State Building Trades Council. Officers of the council to save Twitmore from the federal prison, Kansas, was secured today at the convention of the California State Building Trades Council.

**MARE ISLAND MAY
BUILD TWO SHIPS**

The Sister Vessel of Kanawha Expected to Be Constructed at Vallejo.

VALLEJO, Cal., Jan. 21.—Mare Island Yard may build both the fuel ships authorized by Congress. Supplementing Secretary Meyer's decision yesterday that the fuel ship Kanawha should be built here, came instructions from Washington today that the sister ship, Mare Island, should be built at the same yard. The cost of building a sister fuel ship, the Maumee.

Tentative estimates on the Kanawha are well within \$1,400,000 maximum allowed by Congress and naval construction laws. It is expected that the cost of building the contract of both ships, the cost of building them would be proportionately less for either one alone.

Captain C. A. Gove of the Yerba Buena Naval training station, Naval Constructor H. M. Gleason, Lieutenant S. E. Robinson and Lieutenant C. A. Woodruff left today for San Diego where they will conduct the final tests of submarine F-5, built last summer and not yet accepted by the government.

**HOME ECONOMICS ARE
DISCUSSION TOPIC**

HAYWARD, Jan. 21.—The Hill and Valley Club of this city yesterday gave a reception to Mrs. J. C. Lynch, district president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. Home economics were discussed in speeches by different members. A banquet followed in charge of Mrs. C. T. Van Dyke, Mrs. E. K. Strohbecker, Mrs. P. Wilbert and Mrs. Grace Walchman. Over fifty women attended the reception.

**TRIAL OF DR. W. S.
CARD IS RESUMED**

Trial of Dr. W. S. Card, accused of a felony, was resumed before Superior Judge Wells this morning, with Mrs. Mercia Sinner, one of the principal witnesses, on the stand. She told of the treatment she had received from the physician in September on the day that he established at 517 Twenty-third street was raided by C. A. Taggart, special agent of the State Board of Medical Examiners, and the Oakland police.

**CITY COUNCIL ORDERS
PAYMENT OF BILLS**

Bills were ordered paid by the city council this morning as follows:

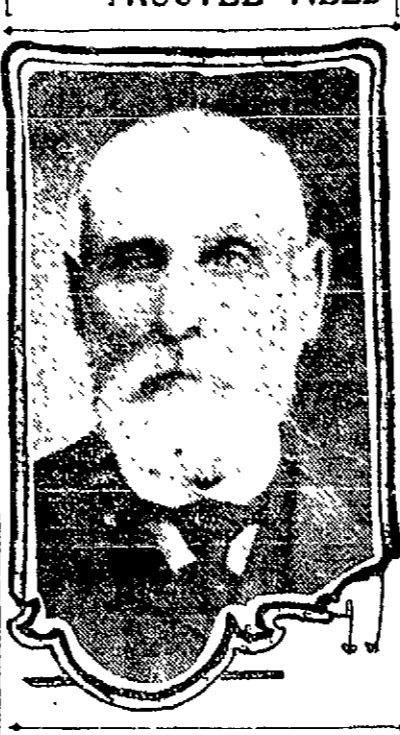
On the high school construction fund—Van Sant Houghton Company, \$18,854.43.

On the electric hall construction fund—John G. Sutton Company, \$287.46.

On the general fund—L. L. Purney, \$0; The Oakland Bank of Commerce, \$650.

On the street fund—P. C. Frederickson, \$110.

—Advertisement.

**FUNERAL OF SAN
LEANDRO TOWN
TRUSTEE HELD**

W. J. STRATTON.

SAN LEANDRO, Jan. 21.—The funeral took place today at San Lorenzo cemetery of the late former town trustee, W. J. Stratton, one of San Leandro's early timers. Stratton, who came here from the East in 1854, drove the government mail coach in the fifties. He was for a number of years town marshal and was the last surviving member of the early fire department of San Leandro.

His wife died two years ago. He is survived by five daughters.

**AD. MEN HEAR OF
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State Deputy Mrs. J. Mollen is to preside at the conferring of degrees on the new officers, which is to take place February 2 in the Bank of Hayward Hall.

The Daughters of Isabella, which was established in 1902, is a national organization of Catholic women, based on fraternal lines. Although not affiliated with the Knights of Columbus, its object is practically the same. The order now has 165 courts, and 18,000 members in twenty-nine states of the Union.

The following are the new officers: Grand regent, Mrs. Mary E. Jasmun; vice-regent, Miss Mary McKeever; monitor, Miss Isabella Cullie; lecturer, Miss Genevieve McKeever; prophetess, Mrs. Margaret Massas; chaplain, Rev. Father J. J. Gladstone; treasurer, Mrs. Emma Peria; historian, Mrs. Carrie Kelly; financial secretary, Miss Elizabeth Silva; sentinel, Miss Mary Mitchell; guide, Miss Julia Silva; guide, Miss Rose Peters; banner-bearer, Mrs. Amelia Murdock; musician, Miss Ruth Silva; trustee, Mrs. Mary Lewis; Miss Isabella Oliver; Mrs. Mary Gort; Mrs. Mollie Alameda; Miss Mary G. Varga and Miss Rose Smith.

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Actress Tells Secret

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**Two Splendid Sales for
Wednesday**

Sweaters at Big Reduction
Kimono at Great Bargains

The second floor of the Taft & Pennoyer building will house some splendidly attractive bargains on Wednesday. Sweaters and Kimonos are quoted at prices that cannot fail to attract. Below will be found a general resume of the values and merchandise.

Big Sale of Sweaters

CHILDREN'S SWEATERS, principally high-neck styles, coming in white only. At the price we offer them we do not claim them to be new. Some of them have been handled in stock and are somewhat soiled. All of them will be as good as new after one washing. Some of them are trimmed in color, but the majority are in white only. Former selling prices ran up to \$2.50 and over.

WEDNESDAY'S SALE PRICE 50 CENTS AND \$1.00

LADIES' SWEATERS, in assorted colors of green, red and white, showing slight traces of shop wear and originally priced at \$3.00 to \$7.50, are priced

WEDNESDAY'S SALE PRICE \$2.45 AND \$3.95

Attractive Kimono Offerings

LADIES' SHORT KIMONOS of silk and chaille, not new, but attractive and in good taste, coming in all the good colors and in plain and fancy materials. Crepe and other materials are equally well represented. Prices on some of these really stood at \$25.00.

WEDNESDAY'S SALE PRICE \$1.95, \$2.85 AND \$4.95

CHILDREN'S KIMONOS of crepe flannel and alder in good cuts, nice shades and splendid material, bringing formerly prices as high as \$2.00.

WEDNESDAY'S SALE PRICE 85 CENTS

House Dresses at Special Prices

This line includes about 300 samples from well known makers of inexpensive house dresses. All are made of wash material in percale, crepe, gingham and flannelette. The styles are good, colors attractive and the workmanship unexcelled. These sample prices run as follows:

House Dresses.	Selling formerly at \$1.25 to \$1.50.
Lawn Kimonos, long.	SALE PRICE 85 CENTS.
Flannel Kimonos, long.	
House Dresses.	Selling formerly at \$1.75 and \$2.00.
Lawn Kimonos, long.	SALE PRICE \$1.10.
Flannel Kimonos, long.	
House Dresses.	Selling formerly at \$2.25 and \$3.00.
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Flannel Kimonos, long.	

ALL THE ABOVE ITEMS ARE ON DISPLAY IN ONE OF OUR FOUR-

TEENTH STREET WINDOWS

**'NEXT MOVE IS
GOV. JOHNSON'S'**

Walker Seeks Aid of Police

State Mineralogist Says That He Will Not Resign Under Fire.

Building and Loan Commissioner Meets Delay in Entering Office.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—"The next move will be the governor's. If he assumes that I shall resign, he is in error. I shall not resign under fire, and he cannot remove me except on charges. I shall simply sit tight. That is the situation between the state mining bureau, of which I am the mineralogist, and Governor Johnson."

So spoke W. H. Storms today when asked for a statement on his position toward the report made by John Francis Neelan, president of the state board of control, that he had been asked to resign.

"In the meantime," continued Storms, "there are a few pertinent questions I should like to ask."

If the bureau was \$2000 and odd short in its cash, as the audit of C. L. Avery, acting for the board of control, is alleged to have shown on July 20, 1912, why did not the board proceed against us then?

"And why did President Neelan write to us over his own signature on October 15, 1912, in which he begged to resign?"

"The board of control has not in any official of the members of your board, knowing that you gentlemen have had the sole desire of obtaining the best results for the state."

C. N. Ward, President of the board of trustees, also had questions to ask.

"Governor Johnson," he said, "has a long letter from us, signed by the full board, explaining the charges against me brought forward by President Neelan. Not a word of it has been given out. Why?"

**'VANISHING PERSON'
GONE IS BELIEVED**

RICHMOND, Jan. 21.—Rev. Frank Horn, the "vanishing person," has gone to San Mateo county, according to the belief of local railroad officials and members of the First Baptist church.

Late Saturday evening a man answering his description purchased a ticket for San Mateo from the Southern Pacific station at Nineteenth street and Macdonald avenue. He appeared very nervous and sought to avoid recognition by any of those present.

**SANTO DOMINGO TO
EXHIBIT AT FAIR**

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 21.—Through the Department of State the Panama-California Exposition has received notice from I. G. Vasquez, Secretary of State of the Republic of Santo Domingo, that the Republic will place an exhibit here. The communication was addressed to President D. C. Collier of the exposition.

**Bills to Be Held Up
at Present Session**

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 21.—Duplicating the action taken by the Senate yesterday, the Assembly voted today, in spite of opposition led by Assemblyman Schmitt of San Francisco, not to pass to third reading, before recess, any bills except emergency measures.

The charter amendments of the cities of San Francisco and Berkeley, the latter intended to facilitate the work of the Panama Pacific Exposition management, were ratified by the Senate, and Senator Curtin of Sonoma created a stir in an otherwise placid session by announcing that tomorrow morning he would speak to a question of personal privilege for the first time in his 16 years of legislative service.

**FOR COMFORT
TAKE THE MODERN
STEAMERS**

Portland	Los Angeles
Beaver	Bear
Sails 12 a. m.	Sails 12 a. m.
Jan. 25	Jan. 26
First class \$7.50	First class \$7.50
Second class \$5.00	Second class \$5.00
Third class \$3.00	Third class \$3.00
4th class \$2.00	4th class \$2.00
5th class \$1.00	5th class \$1.00
6th class \$0.50	6th class \$0.50
7th class \$0.25	7th class \$0.25
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10th class \$0.02	10th class \$0.02

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469 14th Street
Between Broadway and Washington

BOOST CARNIVAL WILL BE UNCORKED WITH 'BANG'

Novelties Galore to Enliven Great 'Commercial Housewarming'

Five hundred and ten enthusiasts will uncork a boost carnival tomorrow night at the city's commercial housewarming, scheduled to commence at 7 o'clock in the Hotel Oakland. The event is something entirely new in the history of the municipality, and is expected to give birth to an enterprise of great value to Oakland.

Every available seat will have been taken by this evening, and it is expected that there will be many demands for tickets which the general committee will be unable to meet. Because of the many novelties and important speeches, it was decided among the first plans that there should be no attempt to utilize more than the capacity of the great hall-room.

The evening will be much in the nature of a "boosters' lark," with just a few short and snappy speeches and barrels of stunts and songs.

The various commercial organizations of Oakland will sit at special tables and will vie with each other in entertaining the gathering. Fred Reed will be the yall leader for the Oakland Real Estate Association, which will sit at a long table at one extremity of the banquet room. At the opposite end of the room will be the table of the Progress and Prosperity Committee, with Kenneth Millican as yall leader. Between the two tables there will be a telephone line, so that the leaders may communicate to each other and flash their signals.

The Manufacturers' Committee has pre-

pared several surprises and will be led in the cheers and yells by Curtis Wright Jr., The Merchants' Exchange, the Rotary Club and the Oakland Ad Club will each sit at separate tables and will have their own specialties.

It is rumored that there will be several novelties introduced that have never been seen anywhere and today committees from every organization are trying frantically to gather their supporters for "dress rehearsals."

The official list of speakers was made public today, as follows:

George E. Catts, Stockton Chamber of Commerce.

W. T. Sesson, San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

James B. Bullitt, San Jose Chamber of Commerce.

D. W. Carmichael, Sacramento Chamber of Commerce.

Frank H. Short, Fresno Chamber of Commerce.

Joseph Scott, Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.

Thomas Richardson, Portland Commercial Club.

W. E. Gibson, Oakland Chamber of Commerce.

H. C. Capwell, Oakland Chamber of Commerce.

Frank K. Mott, Mayor of Oakland.

W. E. Gibson, as the official head of the local chamber, will preside as toastmaster.

Further 'Arson Trust' Indictments Expected

New York Grand Jury Resumes Inquiry Into Incendiary Fires.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21. — With the grand jury, the district attorney and the fire commissioner at the heels of the "arson trust," the number of incendiary fires kindled in the city has fallen from 81 per week in January, 1912, to 37 a week this year, according to estimates by the fire commissioner today. The total number of fires in the city shows a still more marked decrease, from 326 a week last January to 147 in 1913.

When the grand jury resumed its session today further indictments against alleged members of the "trust" were expected.

MELROSE WOMAN DIES.
ALAMEDA, Jan. 21. — Mrs. Bertha Richter of Melrose, who was a patient in an Alameda hospital, died Sunday night. She was the wife of Reinhold Richter. The funeral will be held from the Richter home in Melrose.

Extradited Man Proved Innocent

Existence of Double of Samuel Kalish Is Made Evident.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21. — Samuel Kalish may not have a double, but he certainly has a duplicate. There is another Samuel Kalish somewhere, and Detective Sergeant Minahan would very much like to have a look at him. So also would Sam Kalish No. 1, who was released and exonerated by Superior Judge Lawlor this morning, after he had been dragged across the country from New York, handcuffed, as an accused embezzler. Kalish satisfied the court that he was innocent. He was charged with the misappropriation of \$300 belonging to Mrs. Lydia A. McCarthy. She failed to identify him and he was able to prove his innocence, even though he had been unable to avoid extradition from New York.

SAN JOSE PASTOR MAY BE UNFROCKED

The Expulsion of Rev. Claude Kelley Is Demanded by Laymen.

SAN JOSE, Jan. 21. — Demanding the immediate expulsion of their pastor, the Rev. Claude Kelley, a delegation of leading laymen of the First Baptist church of this city appeared before the Board of Deacons last night and presented evidence which they deem sufficient to unfrock the minister.

At the same time, both the deacons and representatives of the membership of the church endeavored to shield their organization from publicity and the meeting last night was of the most secret character. Guards were placed about the entrance to the church parlors where the conference was held and reporters were unceremoniously ousted from the building. At times the arguments of the members demanding the resignation of the pastor or his immediate expulsion from the church reached such a high pitch that they could be heard upon the street.

Charges of a personal nature which those antagonistic to the Rev. Kelley say are not yet ready for publication, have been made against him. The threat is held over the heads of the deacons who are supporting the minister that unless he is immediately unfrocked, the entire matter will be given to the public and a sensation is promised.

The charges which have been made against Rev. Kelley are in writing and have followed him from his former fields of labor throughout the East. Various States, in which the Rev. Mr. Kelley has occupied positions, have their quota of information concerning the pastor's relations on financial matters and even other subjects of a more personal nature.

THEY GOT NEWS BEFORE EVENT

Hotel Oakland Opening Wired to Steamer: Time Plays Trick.

Officials of the Hotel Oakland have had many queer acknowledgments of the opening of the new hostelry, but it remained for mail from the Orient to record the most novel one today. In a letter to C. L. Petersen, the maître d'hôtel, a traveler to the Orient said that passengers on the liner Manchuria were informed by wireless of the opening of the hotel while the big steamer was a few days out of Manila. The message was sent by wireless from San Francisco to the steamer Mithelmina, relayed to Honolulu, and from Honolulu to another steamer bound in from the Orient and by the latter boat relayed again back to the Manchuria. Owing to the day's difference in time, the message left here on the night of the 20th and reached the Manchuria on the afternoon of the 22d, apparently a day before it was sent.

INJURED IN BALL GAME; LOSES LEG

Oakland Physician Suffers Dismal Results From Small Hurts.

When Dr. W. K. Sanborn, a well-known Oakland physician, slightly wrenched his leg while playing baseball last fall he did not realize that the result of the injury would be of a serious nature. For the past week he has been hovering between life and death in the Merritt Hospital and attending physicians have amputated his left leg in an effort to check the spread of blood poisoning, which has settled in the injured member.

A rupture of a blood vessel of the left leg resulted from the wrench, and when he was finally compelled to take to his bed it was discovered that the clotting blood had congealed and caused serious blood poisoning and complications. Dr. Sanborn is well known in the local medical fraternity.

NO RECONCILIATION; DIVORCE IS GRANTED

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21. — The divorce suit brought by Marie Lenormand against E. Lenormand of 287 Twenty-second street, was tried by Superior Judge Graham today after that jurist had believed that he had effected a reconciliation. At that time Lenormand bought a Christmas tree for his son and sent some ornaments for it to his wife's home. The court warned the couple then, when they were before him, that they ought to make up, but they failed to do so. Today the wife testified that her spouse didn't support her.

PROPOSED ELECTRIC LINE MAY SERVE AS FEEDER Prominent Capitalists Behind Scheme, Declares Engineer Asking Franchise

Local railroad circles expressed considerable interest today in the news that another electric line was projected in Contra Costa county to serve as a feeder for the Oakland and Antioch and possibly the Tidewater-Southern, whose contemplated activities were chronicled in THE TRIBUNE yesterday. Whether the new road is inspired by the Oakland-Antioch or the Southern Pacific, or whether it represents an entirely independent interest, as is now claimed, is regarded as immaterial, the all-important fact being that this virgin territory will certainly be gridironed soon with electric roads and this country will be the converging terminal.

ASKS FRANCHISE.
Fred E. Brooks, a civil engineer of Walnut Creek, yesterday made application before the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors for permission to construct an electric road through the county with a proposed terminal in Livermore. The proposed road as outlined by the petitioner, would traverse the county road from Martinez through the Alhambra valley to Walnut Creek, touching Alamo, Danville, and San Ramon, and thence reaching into Alameda county, and terminating at Livermore.

It is proposed to extend the road along the water front from Martinez to Bay Point, and that it will connect with the

proposed ferry system in Martinez and Benicia, using the new municipal wharf planned for Martinez. The matter, which was also referred to the town trustees, is to be considered at a meeting of that body next Monday night.

RICHMOND WANTS LINE.
As soon as articles of incorporation were filed at Martinez members of the Richmond board of trade got busy, and will hold a special meeting tonight or tomorrow night for the purpose of appointing a committee to confer with Brooks and see if it is possible to arrange to have the new road include Richmond.

Brooks was formerly the representative of the Burgess Brothers' interests in Contra Costa county, which are very large. He is now connected with San Francisco capitalists and says they are backing him in the proposed electric line.

Surveys were made two months ago for these, but nobody knew who was behind the project, the supposition being that it was the Southern Pacific. Richmond's boost body will endeavor to get a line from either this new line or the O. & A. to run down the Alhambra valley and cut across into Richmond, as the Santa Fe does. A conference will be brought about between the committee and Brooks and his backers as soon as possible.

FRIENDS HONOR ENGAGED COUPLE

Social Given for Miss Hazel Gunn and Hugh Miller.

The parlors of the Eighth-Avenue Methodist church were the scene of joyousness and gaiety last evening on the occasion of the annual social gathering of the social service Bible class and invited guests.

The party was given in honor of Miss Hazel Gunn, a member of the class, whose engagement to Hugh Miller of Buffalo, N. Y., has just been announced. Miller went from Oakland to Buffalo as an instructor in the educational department of the Young Men's Christian Association. The wedding will take place in June. Miss Gunn was given a shower of beautiful cups and saucers by the members of the class. The room where the party was held was prettily decorated. Music, games and refreshments were enjoyed by all.

The officers of the class are: President, Fred Fleming; vice-president, Miss Elsie Gunn; second vice-president, Nat Edwards; secretary, Miss Ethel Potter; treasurer, Gideon Berger; teacher, Mrs. Charles Lombard.

GIRL 'SUICIDE' RETURNS AFTER TEN DAYS' ABSENCE

Allice Iselin, the 16-year-old girl whose death by suicide was reported to her father in a letter, returned home last night after an absence of 10 days. Albert Iselin, the father, who lives at 1706 Leese avenue, reported the return of his daughter to the police but refused to give any account of her absence or to throw light upon the authorship of the suicide letter received by him last Thursday.

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FEDERAL CHAMBER HEADING MEETING

Nominating Committee Will Bring in Report for Election Thursday.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21. — When the first annual convention of the chamber of Commerce of the United States was called to order today it found a formidable program of business, prepared for it by its board of directors. Two of the principal ends the convention will strive to accomplish will be the continuation of President Taft's tariff board, or some tariff sitting body organized on similar lines, and federal incorporation for the association by act of Congress.

The nominating committee got down to work early and will bring in a ticket to be voted on Thursday.

ACCUSED BANDIT JAILED IN SOUTH

Italian Arrested at Los Angeles on San Francisco Charge.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21. — Rafael Pasquini, whom the police assert is a member of the gang of Italian black handers and outlaws who have been operating in all the large cities of the country, is in jail here today, awaiting the filing of a warrant charging him with grand larceny in San Francisco. He is also believed to be one of the two Italians who robbed John and Jules Baling, Swiss dairymen, of \$18,000 here last June.

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Special coats in style suitable either for boys or girls, made from nice all-wool mixtures in browns and greys, cut extra long, with convertible collars which can be worn either up or down. These coats have wool serge lining and are made full box backs. Nothing will equal them in this part of the country for less than \$6.50 or even more.

Boys' Navy Blue SERGE SUITS \$4.65

Norfolk models, made from all-wool serges, strictly fast color, in sizes from 6 to 12 years. These suits are shown also in double-breasted style, well made and well lined, from 8 to 18 years, at the same price.

Boy's \$3.00 Russian and Sailor Suits \$1.95

Russian styles from 2 1/2 to 6 years, sailor blouses, from 5 to 10 years, made from nice mixtures in browns and greys. These clever little suits would be good value at \$3. They are on sale now at \$1.95.

Youth's \$10.00 and \$12.50 Suits \$8.65

College cut suits for young men, sizes 15 to 21 years. These are made in excellent styles in nice mixtures with full box backs and with college cut trousers, either with or without cuffs. Styles are right and they are the best looking, best wearing suits you have ever seen at this price.

Youth's \$15.00 and \$17.50 Suits \$11.85

Seamless box back models in two and three-button fronts, also form fitting styles with full peg trousers and with shaped cuffs. These suits are made from all-wool fabrics in rough chevrons and tweeds in solid browns and greys, also in fancy mixtures, diagonal and herringbone weaves, and navy blue serges are included. These without question are unusual value and are worth the attention of every young fellow who aspires to good appearance, yet who does not want to pay an extravagant price.

Silk Petticoats, \$1.95

Fine petticoats in messaline and chiffon taffeta in solid colors and changeable effects. Tucked and pleated flounces with and without silk under flounce. The assortment includes all the new colorings, all the desirable combinations and the skirts are exceptionally good value at the price offered.

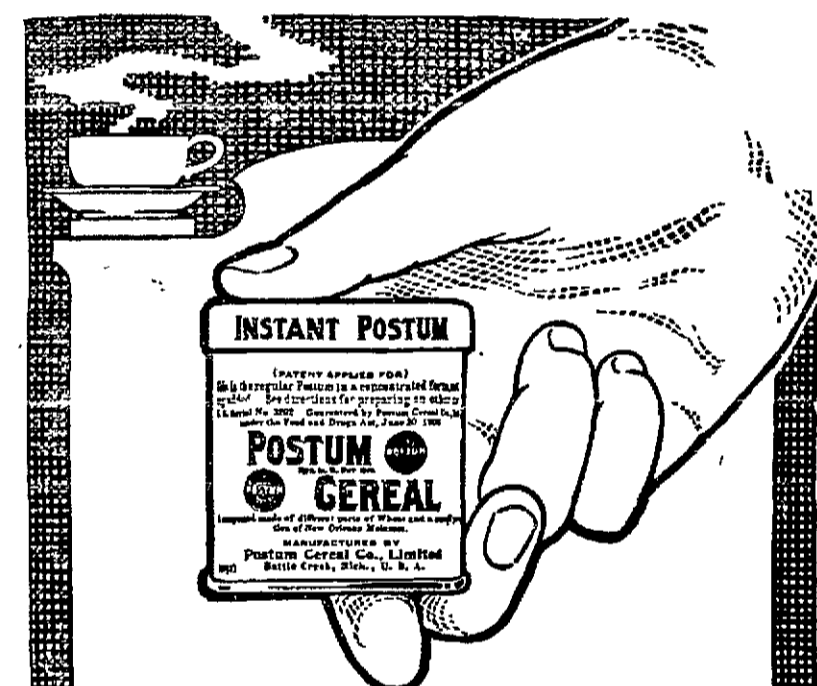
Children's Coats

Handsoms showing in children's coats in sizes up to 14 years is on sale now. Embroidered in the collection are pretty models in chevrons, chinchillas and kersays in solid colors and pretty mixtures. The models include quite a variety of styles, including Norfolk, Strollers and fancy trimmed effects; in fact, all our children's coats regardless of former price are included in one or other of these two prices.

Coats worth up to \$7.50 now on sale at \$3.45. All our higher price coats now on sale at \$4.95.

Waist Clearance, \$2.95

Embroidered chiffon waists, gold trimmed chiffon waists, navy and black messaline waists, in tailored and fancy style, some of these with high necks and long sleeves, others with three-quarter sleeves, about eight dozen waists, some of them worth up to \$5, to be closed out tomorrow at \$2.95.



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"It is really delicious. My family are regular coffee-drinkers, but since Instant Postum came, coffee has no show. Coffee never had the flavor that Instant Postum has."—N. M. W., Brooklyn.

"It has remained for Instant Postum to break me of the coffee habit. Eight days after leaving off coffee I feel infinitely better, but—what an appetite; eating twice as much."—R. E. L. N., Washington.

"Instant Postum has helped me more in a few days than dyspepsia tablets had done in a year."—W. R. N., N.Y. Mills, N.Y.

"I like it because I can fix it myself in a few minutes. If I use coffee I can't sleep. I sleep last night so good after using Instant Postum."—Miss A. H., Pittsburgh.

"We find it better and more healthful than coffee, and it is so convenient to make that even my husband and children have no trouble to get a cup ready. Coffee will never be brought into our household again."—Mrs. W. R., Watertown, N.Y.

Instant Postum has a rich, snappy flavour; is absolutely free from the coffee drug, "caffeine," is economical, and

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It is a fact that millions of families have Syrup Pepsin constantly in their house, homes like those of Mrs. G. B. Pruitt, Berea, Ky., who used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin as a laxative tonic. Mrs. Pruitt writes that it so strengthened and cleaned her system that she was quickly relieved of a severe cough which had troubled her for months. The special value of this grand laxative tonic is that it is suited to the



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needs of every member of the family. It is pleasant-tasting, mild and non-gripping. Unlike harsh physics it works gradually and in a very brief time the stomach and bowel muscles are trained to do their work naturally again, when all medicines can be dispensed with.

You can obtain a bottle at any drug store for fifty cents or one dollar. The latter size is usually bought by families who already know its value. Results are always guaranteed or money will be refunded.

If no member of your family has ever used Syrup Pepsin and you would like to make a personal trial of it before buying it in the regular way of a drugstore, send your address—a postal will do—to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 417 Washington St., Monticello, Ill., and a free sample bottle will be mailed you.

BISHOP HANNA TO BE HONORED GUEST

Informal Dinner to Be Held at St. Mary's College Tomorrow.

Rev. J. J. Hanna, the new auxiliary bishop of San Francisco will be the guest of honor at an informal dinner which will be served tomorrow morning at 11 a. m. in the dining hall of St. Mary's College. The event will be one of the most important in the 1913 Catholic program. A large number of former classmates of Bishop Hanna have been invited to attend the affair. Prominent among these are Father J. P. Dempsey, Rev. J. J. Collopy, assistant pastor of St. Joseph's church in Berkeley, Rev. E. I. Kneenan, St. Katherine's in Chicago, Rev. J. Kennedy, assistant pastor of St. Mary's church Oakland; Father Seix, pastor Sacred Heart and others. Leo J. Murraskey, class of '13, will deliver the address of welcome to the new bishop. Following the address of Murraskey and the talks of the various guest speakers, the quartet of the college will render several selections. Those in the quartet follow: T. Horan, D. Wood, J. V. Fleming and R. Hammond.

Bishop Hanna is well known here and throughout the East. He is a native of the local clergy and his appointment to San Francisco has caused much favorable comment. Dr. Hanna started his career in a grammar school in Syracuse, N. Y. Later he graduated from the Brothers Academy in Utica after which he attended the St. Mary's Seminary in Baltimore. For the past few years he has been in Rochester and it is from that place that he has come to take up his duties here.

GUATEMALA PLANS SAN DIEGO EXHIBIT

Joins Family of Nations to Be Represented at the Big Fair.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 21.—Guatemala has joined the family of nations that is to provide exhibits for the Panama-California International Exposition to be held here in 1915. Notification of the acceptance of the exhibit was received through the Department of State at Washington. This is attributed largely to the personal efforts of Dr. Edgar L. Hewett, director of exhibits at the exposition, who spent several months in Guatemala directing excavations at the site of the ancient ruined city of the Maya Indians. This city, antedating the Christian era, has been designated "The Athens of America," and reproductions of some of the bas-reliefs and other objects of the San Diego exposition attractions.

Just a few days before Guatemala announced intention of participating, the Republic of Panama gave similar notice. Shortly before this announcement came that the Insular government of Porto Rico would provide an exhibit here. Brazil and Japan had previously arranged to participate, and the recent visit to San Diego of a representative of the Government of the United States, the States, particularly those west of the Rocky Mountains, have become aroused, and in nearly all of these measures are under consideration providing appropriate exhibits for the exhibition here.

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THREE DISTINCT PROGRAMS.

When the exposition plan was accepted, San Diego divided the construction period of three years into three distinct programs. This outlined for 1912 the grading of the grounds and establishment of nurseries, tree planting, etc.; for 1913, the construction of all buildings; for 1914, the ornamentation of the grounds, finishing drives and walks, planting of grasses, vines, etc. To this program there has been strict adherence. At this time the grading is nearly finished, and work has begun on the Electricity building, one of the largest of the central group of display structures. In a few weeks the erection of the Mines and Mining and the Machinery building will be under way, and plans for the others are being given final revision.

The government has sloth marked the San Diego enterprise. Miles of drives were graded in the 1400-acre park in the heart of San Diego, in the center of which will be the exposition proper. The approach to a great steel-reinforced bridge, 800 feet long, 105 feet high, carrying a driveway 40 feet wide, spanning a picturesque canyon in which is a lagoon, have been finished and the concrete is now being poured into the forms for the seven spans, constituting the bridge proper. A concrete slipway for the lagoon has been constructed. The sites for a dozen buildings, already chosen, have been leveled. The foundation for the Southern California Counties building is in place and work on the others is under way.

SIMILAR ACTIVITY.

In the horticultural division there has been similar activity. Over 100,000 elms, shrubs and plants of wide variety have been planted on exposition grounds and parks, and in the mammoth nurseries are 1,500,000 specimens of plant life gathered from all over the world. All the necessary administrative buildings were erected and put in use. The administration building, from which all departments of work is directed, came first. A wood-working mill was established, from which has been turned out thousands of boxes for the nurseries and the forms for the great bridge. Service buildings, housing the miles used on the grounds, and providing storage for supplies, were erected. A large restaurant for employees, with sleeping quarters nearby, constitute a feature about the grounds. Instead of large lunchrooms, small ones were erected, each containing four berths. This arrangement permits greater privacy, and has resulted in the choice of congenial "bunk partners," avoiding the friction nearly always attendant upon great bunk houses, where probably 1,000 men sleep in the same room. The sanitary advantages and the healthfulness of such an arrangement is apparent.

Last, but not unimportant, is the hospital. Although many tons of dynamite were used on the grounds during the grading operations, no accident, except of the most incidental character, occurred. Providing for the possibility of serious accidents when the erection of buildings began, a hospital building was erected and opened during December, 1912, with trained physicians and surgeons and nurses in attendance. These were care for all injured employees during the construction period and look after the emergency cases during the exposition year. During that year the service buildings will become headquarters of the exposition street cleaning and repair forces. The hospital is fully equipped with every surgical appliance, of the latest and most modern type, and is perfectly sanitary and modern. It contains two wards, each equipped with a dozen beds. Many previous expositions of large magnitude have been marred by incompleteness on the opening date. San Diego vowed that her celebration of the opening of the Panama Canal, on January 1, 1915, should and must be complete in every respect on that date, and this determination is the spur that is driving the preparation of the exposition with the utmost energy.

DESPONDENCY DRIVES OHIO MAN TO MURDER

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Jan. 21.—In a fit of despondency, Richard McCarty, a bookkeeper, shot and killed his wife last night at their home in Norwood, a suburb, and attempted to shoot his two young sons. He left a note found after the shooting, saying that he was going to kill his wife and sons and then his own existence. He was arrested.

DUNCAN MCNEE DIES.

SANTA ROSA, Jan. 21.—Duncan McNea, a prominent business man of San Francisco, died at the residence of his son, Royal J. H. McNea, in this city, Sunday. McNea had been ill for three weeks, but his condition was not so serious as it appeared. He was a native of Canada, aged 63 years. More than half a century of his life had been spent in this country. He was a man of large affairs and interests in the cities about the bay and was prominent in fraternal circles. Mrs. McNea and their daughter, Miss Claire McNea, who have been traveling recently in Europe, were arrived home recently, and they arrived before the husband and father passed away.

PLAN CAMPAIGN FOR NEW ARMORY

Oakland Guardsmen Will Start Fight for Building Here.

The campaign for a state armory in Oakland will be started tonight by Major Ralph Faneuf, commanding the battalion of National Guard Field Artillery, at a meeting of the Oakland National Guard officers at Battery B's armory, 1560 Franklin street.

The conference will be for devising ways and means for a bill and an appropriation through the state legislature to get an armory of suitable proportions in Oakland.

"It is thought that with the concerted help of all the officers and with the aid of the commercial bodies of the city, we will be able to secure the desired results," said Major Faneuf. "Oakland is the only city of its size in the state that has not a suitable armory. We have two companies of infantry, the headquarters of the Fifth regiment, a battery of artillery and a signal corps. We certainly need an armory in this city and I hope, by co-operation with the citizens and the commercial bodies, we will be able to secure a suitable appropriation from the legislature."

WILL GIVE TALK ON TUBERCULOSIS

Dr. C. D. McGettigan Will Be the Speaker at St. Mary's.

There will be a lecture in the gymnasium of St. Mary's College Thursday evening, January 23, on the subject of tuberculosis. Dr. C. D. McGettigan of class '92 of the college will be the principal speaker. He will illustrate his talk with stereopticon slides which he has been preparing for some time past. All of the students of the college with their parents have been invited to attend the affair and it is expected that the big gymnasium of the college will be taxed to its capacity. The tuberculosis question has long been a source of much interest and debate among the local college students and every protection against the dreaded disease has been installed by the college faculty. Of these preventive measures, work under the direction of Coach Otto Rittler has proven the most effective check. An excellent system of ventilation has also been fitted up in the various classes and dormitory rooms. It is planned by the faculty to have different persons who are fighting the tuberculosis germ speak at short intervals to the students.

\$260,000 FIRE.
ERIE, Pa., Jan. 21.—Fire which started today in the basement of the Lawrie building, in the business section, caused a loss of \$260,000.

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OAKLAND LODGE ATTENDS AFFAIR

Members Journey Across Bay for Initiation of Large Class.

A large delegation of the members of Athens Parlor, No. 195, Native Sons of the Golden West, participated last night at the initiation of 400 new members at Native Sons' Hall, Mason street, near Geary, San Francisco. Accompanying the delegation was the Athens Parlor band of 20 pieces and the members of the parlor booster committee, headed by E. S. Babue, chairman.

All the officers of the parlor also made the trip. They are as follows: President, Charles Naylor, first vice-president, A. W. Sunkler, second vice-president, Fred Kramis; third vice-president, J. H. Skaggs; recording secretary, B. S. Biven; treasurer, J. L. Flynn and E. F. Garrison, financial secretary.

SERVICE SCHOOL FOR SMALL ARMS PLANNED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The war department will shortly establish a service school for small arms fire at the old abandoned infantry post at Fort Sill, Okla. Colonel S. W. Miller, commander of the school of marksmanship at the Presidio at Monterey, Cal., has been relieved of that duty and ordered to Fort Sill to organize and command the new school.

ESCAPED AFTER FIFTEEN YEARS.

W. P. Broyles made a successful escape after 15 years of living from kidney and bladder troubles. Foley Kidney Pills released him and will do just the same for others. He says: "They cured a most severe backache with painful bladder irregularities, and they do my claim for them." Refuse substitutes. Wishart's Drug Store.

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'COLD LIGHT' MAY WORK REVOLUTION

French Scientist's Lamp to Be Worked by Tiny Battery.

PARIS, Jan. 21.—M. Dussaud, a French scientist, who has discovered a means for the production of what he terms "cold light," made public yesterday some details of his discovery, which it is thought may revolutionize electric lighting.

Starting on the principle that rest is as essential to matter as to animal organism, he has constructed an electric lamp, in which the light is concentrated on a single point by filaments working successively; hence the light is projected through a lens magnifying a thousand fold. Thus he has succeeded in concentrating a 2000 candle power light on one point, passing 32 volts into an eight-volt lamp, with the ordinary light would burst.

Experiments with this lamp have established that the new light absolutely is without danger, as no heat is given off and it requires a hundred times less current than the ordinary lamp. It can be worked by a tiny battery, or sufficient motive power can be obtained from a jet of water from an ordinary faucet, or even a squirrel turning a cage.

The light, it is said, offers great advantages in photography, as its photographic power is four times that of the magnesium flashlight. It has been tried with great success in the Biarritz Light-house and M. Dussaud is working on its application to searchlights for the ministry of war.

TWO FREIGHTERS ASHORE IN NORTH

La Touche and Cordova of the Same Fleet, Go Aground; Are Floated.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 21.—Cable advice received from Cordova, Alaska, last night said the Alaska Steamship Company's steel freighter La Touche struck a submerged rock in Toy Strait Sunday and was badly damaged on the starboard side. The vessel was floated and is proceeding in a leaking condition to Cordova, where she will arrive late tonight.

The La Touche, Captain William Jensen, sailed from Seattle January 7 and stopped at Nainimo, B. C. to load coal for Cordova. The La Touche is a vessel of 1884 gross tons. She was built at Seattle in 1910.

The steel freighter Cordova, of the same fleet, was aground 48 hours in Wrangell Narrows, according to a cable dispatch received from Ketchikan, Alaska. The Cordova had 2000 tons of copper ore for Tacoma and the weight of the cargo subjected the vessel to a severe strain when she was left high and dry at low tide. With the aid of lighters the Cordova was floated and resumed her voyage, apparently undamaged.

ATTEMPTED THEFT OF PEARLS FAILS

LONDON, Jan. 21.—A determined attempt was made Saturday night or Sunday to steal \$400,000 worth of pearls from the establishment of Mark Rubin, jewel merchant of 32 Holborn viaduct, but it was not successful.

In the opinion of Scotland Yard the burglary was the work of a gang of American thieves, who left behind the most elaborate and costly set of electrical tools and appliances ever seen by the London police. In addition to a portable electric plant, they abandoned twenty cylinders of oxygen, and other gas.

A tent was erected around the safe to screen the operators from observation. They succeeded in cutting a large hole in the outer casing of the safe, which, however, was of the most modern construction. The inner shell frustrated their efforts and the contents of the safe, including a vast quantity of pearls were found intact.

DIES IN FIRE WHICH DESTROYS DWELLING

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 21.—George C. Clark, a civil engineer, was killed and his body was cremated when his house was destroyed by fire last night. Clark was 27½ years old.

RECLUSE LEAVES LARGE FORTUNE

BROCKTON, Mass., Jan. 21.—Known as a "poor man," Horace William Howard, a recluse, had a fortune of nearly half a million dollars. His will, filed for probate in court here yesterday, leaves \$400,000 to charity, including \$180,000 for the establishment of a home for aged in Brockton, and large sums to the Brockton hospital and other institutions here. Howard, who had only recently lived in Providence, in a room for which he paid only \$1.25 a week, always dressed poorly and seldom spent more than 15 cents for a meal. His only living relative, Mrs. Maria P. Howard, a sister, was not mentioned in the will. She has announced she will contest it.

FOUNDER OF GRANGE, "FATHER" KELLEY, DIES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Funeral services will be held today for Oliver Kelley, founder of the National Grange, who died yesterday of pneumonia after an illness of 24 hours. Kelley was known to farmers all over the United States, and it was in his home in 1873 that the foundations for the grange were laid.

OLDEST MEMBER OF ELKS' LODGE DIES

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Jan. 21.—Joseph Tuffree, who would have been 103 years old in less than one month, died in his home here yesterday after a brief illness. Tuffree is said to have been the oldest member of the Order of Elks in the world, having joined the organization on his one hundred birthday anniversary.

Famous "Pint of Cough Syrup" Receipt

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Make a plain syrup by mixing one pint of granulated sugar and ½ pint of water and stir for two minutes (but 2½ ounces of pure Pinex (fifty cents worth) in a pint bottle, and fill it up with the Sugar Syrup. This gives you a family supply of the best cough syrup at a saving of \$2. It never spoils, takes a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

The effectiveness of this simple remedy is surprising. It is said to take hold in the family and will usually stop the most obstinate cough in 24 hours. It tones up the jaded appetite and is just laxative enough to be helpful in a cough, and has a pleasing taste. Also excellent for bronchial trouble, throat tickle, sore lungs and asthma, and an unequalled remedy for whooping cough and croup.

This recipe for making cough remedy with Pinex and Sugar Syrup (or strained honey) is a prime favorite in the family of the late Mr. J. H. McNea and Canada. The plan has been imitated, though never successfully. If you try it, use only genuine Pinex, which is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and a rich in quinine and all the natural healing pine elements. Other preparations will not work in this recipe.

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POLICEMAN RESCUED BY FELLOW OFFICER

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—After carrying several persons from a burn-

ing building early today, Russell Smith, a policeman, was overcome by smoke in an upper hallway and was himself rescued by John McCaleb, a fellow officer. The structure was seriously damaged by the flames.

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HEART TRIBUNES PAGE for WOMEN HOME

Society

THE new Hotel Oakland has captured the fancy of society to an extent never before seen on this side of the bay. Affairs in the artistic rooms of the hotel have an air of cachet and a feeling of dignified charm. No wonder society matrons plan affairs there by the score.

Mrs. Percival Walker has planned to have two afternoons of bridge at the Hotel Oakland instead of one as originally announced. Mrs. Walker felt that the cozy atmosphere of the English room was much more suited to a pleasant afternoon at the pastebards than the formality of the great hall, so her invitations were amended to include two smaller parties for consecutive afternoons.

About 30 matrons and maids of the smart set have been bidden for each occasion, on the afternoons of January 30 and 31. After the pleasant excitement of the game a delightful hour over the teacups will round out the affair.

BRIDGE AT COUNTRY CLUB.

Mrs. Challen Parker will be a hostess this afternoon at the Claremont Country Club in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Carlton Parker, who, with her husband, has returned after an absence of nearly four years abroad. About twenty close friends have been asked for an afternoon at the card tables. Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Parker have taken a house in Bowditch street, where they will entertain late in the winter.

DANCE IN ALAMEDA.

Mrs. Colin V. Nichol, who is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Kate B. Johnson, in Alameda, will be the honored guest tonight at a dance at Mrs. Johnson's home. Mrs. Emory Elliot and Mrs. Sidney De Wit Allen will be hostesses with Mrs. Johnson. About seventy guests from society circles on both sides of the bay will accept the hospitality of the charming hostesses.

TRAVELERS TO HAWAII.

Mrs. George H. Tyson, Miss Marie Tyson and Mrs. James A. Black are passengers on the steamer Wilhelmina when she sailed last Wednesday for Honolulu. They will spend six weeks or two months traveling and sightseeing at the Crossroads of the Pacific, as globe-trotters call it.

OAKLAND GIRL RETURNS.

Miss Neville Stevenson has recently returned from a long stay in Texas and northern Mexico.

MISS GHIRARDELLI RECOVERS.

Miss Carmen Ghirardelli is convalescing after an illness which has kept her confined to the house for over two weeks. As soon as Miss Ghirardelli is sufficiently recovered to stand the journey she and her mother, Mrs. Thomas Watson Cushing, will leave for southern California, where a few weeks of balmy weather will make this popular girl quite herself again.

ALAMEDANS RETURN.

Mrs. Harvey M. Toy and her daughter Elizabeth have returned from the east, where they have paid an extended visit to relatives in Boston. Mrs. Toy was a victim of pneumonia while in the east and her stay was prolonged until there was no danger of a relapse being brought about by traveling.

DOMICILED AT VALLEJO.

Mrs. Alan G. Olson, who was, before her marriage to the navy lieutenant, Miss Genevieve Pattison of Alameda, has taken a house in Vallejo to be near the lieutenant during his stay in northern waters. Since her marriage the popular Alameda girl has made her home in Coronado.

WEDDING PLANS.

One of the most popular of the girls of the smart set in the college town is Miss Harriet Day Stringham, who will be a bride of the summer, and will probably decide upon June as the month of her wedding to William De Witt of New York. Miss Stringham's engagement to the eastern man was announced more than a year ago. The charming bride-elect is a former college girl and a member of the Phi Kappa sorority. Her fiancé is a student at one of the divinity colleges in the east and the wedding has been awaiting the completion of his course.

Miss Stringham will be one of the most popular prospective brides of the season and will doubtless be extensively entertained as soon as her wedding plans are

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MISS MARY FEEHAN, A POPULAR SOCIETY GIRL, WHO ATTENDED THE SEMINOLE DANCE.

announced. The wedding of her sister, Miss Patty Stringham, to Professor Leonard Bacon was a brilliant social event of a few months ago at the Stringham home on Piedmont avenue.

BRIDGE FOR THREE.

Miss Ethel McKay will be a hostess on Friday afternoon of this week, when she will entertain as a compliment to three guests of honor from other cities—Mrs. William Ringer of New York; Miss Hazel Gates of Los Angeles; and Mrs. Alexander Pantano, who was of Seattle until recently, when she took up a winter residence at the Hotel Oakland. About forty guests have been asked to Miss McKay's Magnolia-street home for the charming affair.

COLLEGE ROMANCE.

Plans for the wedding of Miss Evelyn Edith Slater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Slater, and Herbert L. Tweedle will not be completed until the two young people finish their courses at the university. Miss Slater is a sophomore in college and Tweedle is a junior in the college of civil engineering. He is on the executive board of the University of Y. M. C. A., and is well known among Christian Endeavor workers of the state, being county superintendent of the intermediate Christian Endeavor. He belongs to the old and noted English family, being the son of Mr. Nellie Tweedle and the late Claude Francis Tweedle.

TEA AT HOTEL OAKLAND.

Mrs. Irving Magnus will entertain with a large tea this afternoon at the Hotel Oakland as a compliment to Miss Selma Lavenson of Sacramento, whose engagement to Coleman Schwartz was announced a short time ago. Over ninety guests have been bidden to the delightful affair. One of the features of the afternoon will be a group of songs by Miss Margaret Furr, a young singer of much promise who has not been heard in the bay cities heretofore.

MASKED DANCE.

One of the affairs which added to the gaiety of the season was enjoyed by a group of the smart set who live around Fruitvale, several evenings ago, when a masked ball took place at the residence of H. G. Hineley. It was a subscription dance attended by half a hundred of the neighbors, and some original and unique costumes were worn. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Clay, Mr. and Mrs. Will Magee, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Sledien, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farnham, Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. William Dougherty, Fritz Hineley, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Egan, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bray, Miss Elsie Marnedel, Miss Madeline Clay, Miss Grace Sanborn, Mrs. Henry Wehrbeke, Miss Sanborn, George Marnedel.

CAPWELLS BUY HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Ceber Capwell have purchased the handsome home of the Edward Lacey Braytons in Linda Vista. Mrs. Capwell is desirous of being settled in the new home before the departure of Mr. Capwell on his circuit of the globe as they will take possession of the house about the first of the month. They have been domiciled at the Hotel Oakland since the beginning of the winter season. The Braytons have not yet decided upon their future plans but it is probable that the Capwells will be a dainty matron will go abroad later in the season.

BRIDGE FOR MISS HALL.

Miss Elsie Farnum has asked a group of the younger girls for an affair in honor of Miss Priscilla Hall on February 15. The guests will be entertained with bridge at Miss Farnum's handsome home on Vernon Heights. Miss Hall announced

WOMEN IN THE NEWS

AVIATRIX, BLINDED BY OIL, GUIDES AEROPLANE

Presence of Mind Saves Bernetta Miller From Death.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Though blinded by an oil cup explosion while in the clouds over Hempstead Plains yesterday, Miss Bernetta A. Miller, aviatrix, retained her nerve, guided her aeroplane to the ground 1300 feet below and alighted without injuring herself or machine.

Miss Miller, who will guide an aeroplane in the inauguration parade, was trying for an altitude record. Suddenly the cup which held the oil for the cylinder of the motor exploded. Oil and glass flew into Miss Miller's eyes, blinding her.

For a few seconds she lost control of her aeroplane and it worked as if about to drop. The crowd below knew something had happened and there was a chorus of gasps. She tried to wipe the oil from her eyes with her gloves, but only further obstructed her sight.

Miss Miller realized that unless she got instant control of the machine she would be killed. She volplaned, although having no idea of her direction. Soon she heard a shout from one of the spectators. After maneuvering slowly, and aided by shouts from the field, she landed.

It was some time before she could see after her eyes had been washed out. She retained her nerve until after leaving the aeroplane. Then she fainted and was carried to the Garden City hotel where city physicians attended her.

"I knew when the oil cup exploded," said Miss Miller, "that I was in great danger but I also knew there was only one way to save myself and that was to free myself of all fear. Although I couldn't see I felt sure I was going to come through the experience safely."

Miss Miller is from Canton, Ohio, and says she is the youngest woman to take up flying as a profession. She is only 21 years old.

There were many women on the field and they cheered heartily when Miss Miller landed safely.

Says Venus Is Fat

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The Venus de Milo was a nice, middle-aged lady, but absolutely no standard for the perfect youthful female figure; she was a trifle fat, in fact.

Mrs. Eacela Wood, artist and iconoclast, says so, and being an artist her ideas ought to be worth consideration. Mrs. Wood can see no reason why Heinrich Heine burst into tears at sight of Madame de Milo unless he wept with pain at her too robust lines.

"My conception of the ideal feminine figure includes youth and delicacy," continued Mrs. Wood.

"The Venus de Milo is a woman at the precise stage of a rose whose petals are about to fall. She is the woman of 33 years. Her figure is compact and settled. Her frame is massive. It is utterly lacking in spirituality. I cannot see why sculptors and poets have raised her to a pedestal of physical perfection. I should never use her as a painting model."

"Besides, art is color and effect rather than detailed correctness. Beauty condensed is, I firmly believe, more acceptable to the American taste than beauty in bolder outline."

"The Venus de Milo is tall as the average man. She may have been proportioned to the liking of Greek men of her time but modern men would not throw her a glance if she walked up Fifth avenue today."

"The smaller and reedlike woman suits modern life," went on the little artist.

"Our houses, our theaters, our limousines even, are not adapted to towering women. Give me the small and graceful woman every time."

In case you care to try these measurements on your own tape-line here are the figures of Mrs. Wood's most beautiful woman:

Age, 37 years.
Weight, 125 pounds.
Height, 5 feet 2 inches.
Chest, 34 inches.
Waist, 24 inches.
Hips, 35 inches.
Around arm, 11½ inches.
Wrist, 5½ inches.
Calf, 13 inches.
Ankle, 7½ inches.
Neck, 12½ inches.
Head, 21½ inches.

Alimony Is Million

PITTSBURG, Jan. 21.—Josiah V. Thompson, multimillionaire coal and coke operator of Uniontown, Pa., was granted a divorce yesterday. The decree is a special one, and Thompson agreed to pay Mrs. Thompson \$1,000,000. Each party to the suit had the right to marry again.

To Wear Costly Gown

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 21.—The dress Miss Eleanor Wilson will wear at the inauguration of her father, Woodrow Wilson, President-elect of the United States, will be made from silk manufactured in Norfolk.

Miss Wilson, in accepting the \$650 silk dress, was asked to name the shade of silk she desired. She selected the color of the outside petal of the American Beauty rose. The material was made as

yesterday morning for a help meet, when they will visit New York and Washington. They will be away about six weeks. Mrs. Ormsby is a popular Linda Vista matron who is a frequent hostess at affairs in society circles.

DINNER AT HOTEL OAKLAND.

Mrs. Ira H. Kahn was a hostess last night at dinner at the Hotel Oakland. Covers were laid for six at the charmingly appointed table.

MODIFIED GOWNS

By LILLIAN RUSSELL

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PROMINENT reformer returning from a trip around the world and after close inspection of the women of all countries pronounces the Chinese women the best dressed in the world. To be sure, the Chinese women must be the most comfortable, for they wear loose, straight, very wide trousers of richly embroidered silks and satins, with long coats of elaborately embroidered silks and satins over them. They are not hampered in any way by corsets or hats. But, O, their feet! Surely I would rather be condemned to wear any sort of headgear than be obliged to walk in a pair of Chinese shoes. I am sure we are a nation of parrots, for we do follow the fashions to a ridiculous extent, regardless of health or beauty. And we could modify the present modes and be comfortable as well as more beautiful.

The woman who wears a skirt so tightly drawn around her knees that she cannot walk with ease is a coward. For she fears that her neighbor will think that she is not familiar with the last word from Paris. But whether it be caused by fashion or the demand for comfort, women today are corseting themselves more sanely than at any period in the history of "stays." When we look back upon a few years past, when those bulging hips and busts and wasp-like waists were fashionable, we must realize that we are getting sensible. Whether we are suffragists or anti-suffragists, dress will never be a question at issue. The most delicately feminine women I know—women who are beautiful in person and presence, are the strongest advocates of suffrage. The day has passed when women who desire the ballot have to appear strong-minded. Today we are all strong-minded, so strong-minded that we can dress just as we please, regardless of any fashion. American women will never arrive at the stage of discarding anything that is necessary to their symmetry of form or their comfort. Hats are aids to beauty for their picturesqueness as well as their use for shading the eyes from the sun. Trousers will never be worn by women. And no Chinese woman who has discarded them for skirts has ever returned to them again. I do believe in votes for women. And I know that the country will only be perfect when we have equal suffrage. But women will always be women and men will be men forever, equally useful, equally sensible, equally just. Remember, modified dress will never express more than good judgment and common sense.



LILLIAN RUSSELL.
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lashes and certainly can answer for its efficacy. This tonic is for your brows, but do not use it on your lashes; you will need only the yellow vaseline on them.

R. A. L.—The small, white pimples you speak of are called whiteheads or acne. They can easily be removed without much trouble and without leaving a scar. First bathe the face in warm water until it is soft and pink, then open each little whitehead with the point of a very fine needle, which has been dropped in boiling water. Press or pick out the little hard white substance and then bathe with peroxide. If you will send me a stamped addressed envelope I shall be glad to send you instructions for removing blackheads and pimples.

N. E.—Certain restricted diets are extremely advisable for special conditions. But when the general health is good a diet of varied foods, simply prepared, is considered the best. Indeed, in many cases "nervous" girls develop disturbances of stomach or intestines purely through worry. Lying down for half an hour before eating is of great benefit in indigestion due to worry. "Nothing distresses us when we have ceased to fear it. Let us learn, like a cat on broken glass on a wall, to pass through daily worries, which will soon cease if we do not prolong them, or which will become light if we do not aggravate them by fear." If you will send me a stamped addressed envelope I shall send you the shampoo for blonde hair, also instructions for developing the bust.

Lillian Russell

Answers to Queries

SILLY GIRL.—To fatten the cheeks take a lot of good skin food or cold cream in the middle of your hand and when it softens rub it on the cheek, going round and round in a rotary motion. Rub in all the cream that will stick and then apply more to become absorbed during the night. I shall be glad to send you the formula for a skin food if you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope.

ALICE.—A simple exercise which will soon develop the arms if practiced daily is as follows: Extend the arms horizontally, then imag-

ine a heavy weight in each hand; slowly force this weight up until the palms meet over the head, at the same time resisting the effort to raise the weight. Lower the arms and the weight in the same manner.

SYLVIA.—Here is the recipe for a good tonic for the eyebrows. One ounce of yellow vaseline and eight drops each of oils of lavender and rosemary. After washing the face smooth the eyebrows carefully with an eyebrow brush upon which a drop of the tonic has been placed. Yellow vaseline is one of the best hair growers I know. I have used it for years upon my brows and

SCHOOL AND PLAYGROUND

JUNIOR CLUBS WILL GIVE BIG STAG DINNER

The junior clubs of the Young Men's Christian Association will give a stag dinner and entertainment Saturday afternoon in the gymnasium, Twenty-first and Telegraph avenue. It will mark the first public affair given this season by the Juniors, who are preparing an elaborate program. Each organization composed of Junior boys will present a number.

The function is in charge of the representative members of the Junior societies. They are George Grant, William Wilson, Frank Leach Jr., Ernest Myers, Giles Caldwell, Leon Dammicks, Daniel Harrington, Victor Ball, Kendall Heathorne and Carleton Kendall.

Professor B. M. Cherrington of the University of California, will address the boys next Sunday afternoon on the subject, "The Most Courageous Man."

she directed and was sent to New York to a fashionable dressmaker.

The President-elect's daughter had previously said she wanted to wear material made in Virginia at the inauguration of her father, who is a native of this state.

Wives Considered

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 21.—Orders were given by the New Haven railroad for its employees to be friendly with their wives, before assuming the company trains. The family man as more desirable than the single man who lacks ties and station. The wives also will be watched, and those who dissipate their husbands' earnings and get on the blacklist for not paying their bills will get their husbands into trouble.

The staid married man, linked to a wife of industrious habits, will be selected for promotion in preference to men of sporting inclinations or whose wives show adverse traits.

Several employees were warned that unless they had less trouble at home they could not be regarded as safe to handle trains.

A recent accident on the New Haven railroad was caused by the carelessness of an engineer after a quarrel with his wife.

Women to Vote

ATLANTA, N. Y., Jan. 21.—But with seven dissenting votes the assembly adopted last night the concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution permitting women to vote. An amendment requiring women to be naturalized the same as men was defeated.

SENATE ELECTION HELD AT O. H. S.



CLIFTON GORDON.

The Senate election in the Oakland High School today caused much excitement owing to the two tickets that were in the field for each office. Clifton Gordon, a junior in the high school and an enthusiastic member of the Senate debating society, was placed at the head of the progressive ticket with Harold Noel, a candidate on the Republican ticket, as his only opponent. Both are very popular and have always shown an interest in student affairs.

At noon today the boys and girls cast their votes and prior to the close of school the ballots were counted in the official tally method employed for election purposes.

RETIRED MINING MAN FOUND DEAD IN TUB

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 21.—A. B. Innes, a retired mining man of Republic, Wash., was found dead in a bathtub yesterday afternoon. He had been in the city about three weeks. He was a Scotchman and is thought to have no relatives in the United States. He appeared to be a man of means.

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"Gouard's Cream" is the best beauty skin preparation for sale by all druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers in the United States, Canada and Europe.

NEW CONSTITUTION ADOPTED AT O. H. S.

With the final adoption, by the student body of the Oakland High School, of the new constitution, the primary election for tomorrow, with a number of candidates, for office, will be held at the school.

Two popular students are candidates for president, namely: Harold Blot and Taylor Gimbah. Florence Morrison, Leonard Mills and Eider Witter are the candidates for secretary and close fight is anticipated. Helen Gray has thus far no opposition for Girls' Aegis editor, although other candidates may appear in the field. The candidates for commissioners are as follows: For commissioner of publication, Harold Aydelotte; for commissioner of athletics, Edwin Garthwaite, Wilbur Haines and Ben Wilson; for commissioner of public utilities, Charles Cowan and Orville Caldwell; for commissioner of entertainments, Clifton Gordon; for commissioner of girls' affairs, Margaret Boveroux and Beth Carlick.

The final election will be held on Friday, with the self-government primary on next Tuesday and its final election on Thursday week.

Inexpensive Beauty Aids

By Minnie D'Mille.

"Did you know Mother's Salve, an old-fashioned home remedy, has grown in popularity and is now in use in prepared form in drug stores? It is splendid for headaches, neuralgia, rheumatism, sore muscles, bruises, stiff neck, or pains and aches in back or joints."

"You can make your complexion beautiful at home at little expense by dissolving an original package of 'max' in a half pint of witch hazel. Gently rub on the face, neck and arms, and massage the face, neck and arms with this lotion each morning and it will correct facial blemishes, muddy spots, etc., and make the skin fresh, fair and lovely."

"Dry shampooing cleans the scalp, vitalizes the hair roots, and eliminates danger of itching, cold, from washing the head. Just mix four ounces orris root and an original package of 'max' and sprinkle a little on the head, and brush out thoroughly. Thereby removes all dust, dandruff and excess oil and leaves the hair bright, clean and luxuriantly beautiful."

"Eyebrows either detract from or add to a person's beauty. A little daily care, gently massaging the lash roots, and the eyebrows with plain vaseline will make the lashes grow long and silky and the brows even and regular."

"Women humiliated by superfluous hair or fuzzy eyebrows, these blemishes by applying a paste made by mixing a little powdered talc and water. Cover the hair with the paste, leave on two minutes, wash off, wash the skin and the hairs will be gone."

—Advertisement.

DONOVAN WINS IN VERBAL BATTLE

City Architect and John Forrest Clash Over Sewer Pipes.

"Don't Be Picayunish," Says Expert at School Board Session.

Donouncing the attitude taken by Director John Forrest as "picayunish," not business-like, and fatal to good results in building schools and improvements, City Architect J. J. Donovan, at last night's meeting of the board of education, fought a verbal battle with Forrest that lasted half an hour, and resulted in victory for Donovan as advocate of vitriol.

It was a matter of a few feet of this material that caused the trouble. Forrest insisted that the contract for plumbing in the Tremont High School called for cast iron pipe. Donovan declared that in the chemical laboratory where acids were used this pipe would not last and asked that the contractor be authorized to substitute the other material. Forrest remarked that "These changes always bring bills for extras." "Certainly they do," declared Donovan. "Every now and then a condition like this arises. The contractor could go ahead according to his contract and put in cheap iron pipe as specified and in a few years you would have to dig it up. There is no law to compel him to come to you and make a recommendation of this kind. He is only doing it for the good of the school and certainly should be paid extra if the work costs extra. If you say so he will go ahead as per contract and you can pay the difference when the pipes, eaten by acid in the chemical laboratory, must be taken up. The board should look at these things in a business-like manner, and not be picayunish. I have always been supported in the past on these matters, and if I cannot be now there is no use in my trying to get anything out of a contractor."

PROMISED SUPPORT
"The board will support Mr. Donovan, as always," declared Director A. S. Kelly. "There is no suggestion that we will not." The pipe recommended by the supervising architect was adopted. Thirteen bids were turned in for the Thirteenth Avenue School, to be erected under the recent bond issue. The lowest bid was that of McLaren and Peterson, who offered to perform the contract for the sum of \$61,225. The amount of the appropriation for the work is \$75,000. Other bids received by the board were as follows: Thurston & Company, \$66,484; Boyd & Kerr, \$62,937; Munson Bros., \$65,996; Mould and Kohn, \$66,210; A. B. Ackerman & Son, \$69,350; Christensen & Son, \$63,229; Stocking & Allyn, \$72,777; Moore & Burlingame, \$65,344; W. J. Thornely, \$74,532; Carnahan & Mulford, \$66,183; Nielsen & Bertelsen, \$77,800.

M. B. Morris, acting secretary of the board of education in San Francisco filed a report, requested two weeks ago, telling how school rooms are rented to clubs and private individuals on that side of the bay. A rental of \$25 per night, covering lights and janitor's services, is charged. No dancing, smoking or refreshments are allowed, and several other restrictions are placed on buildings. Only auditoriums or assembly halls may be rented. Secular or partisan meetings are forbidden.

The Oakland board will adopt a similar set of regulations. The Peralta Heights Improvement Club requested that a committee from its organization be allowed to confer with the board in regard to choosing a name for

REPSOLD SEEN IN AUTO NEAR RICHMOND

B. Coppleberger, Cafe Proprietor, Says He Recognized "Perfumed Burglar."

Automobilists Act Suspiciously by Speeding Up the Road.

RICHMOND, Jan. 21.—"I am as certain that I saw Repsold as I am that I am alive. He was at my place last evening with a party of young men in a yellow automobile, and after getting a drink was in a big hurry to get away. The party went on toward Oakland at a furious speed. I know Repsold well and am not mistaken. I knew him before he was sent to San Quentin prison."

Such is the statement of Bert Coppleberger, proprietor of the Heidelberg Cafe at Stego Junction, made to the police here and to a number of citizens. Coppleberger claims that the "perfumed burglar," so badly wanted by the prison authorities at San Quentin, drove up to his place of business last evening, stopped only a few moments to get refreshments and then sped onward. The alleged Repsold showing extreme nervousness.

The police of San Francisco telephoned Chief of Police Arnold here last evening to keep a sharp lookout for Repsold, as he was supposed to be on this side of the bay somewhere and might show up around Richmond, as he formerly made this place a sort of loafing headquarters when paying attention to a young woman here prior to his incarceration. Arnold at once detailed a couple of officers and they were on the watch but Coppleberger did not notify them until it was too late to gain any further information in regard to the party in the yellow automobile.

That Herbert Repsold, the "perfumed burglar," was aided in his spectacular escape from San Quentin penitentiary by powerful friends and that he is now being hidden in the east bay region, seemed to be proved yesterday afternoon by the discovery of the young convict well dressed, riding in a fast automobile on San Pablo avenue near Stego.

Repsold had on a light gray overcoat and a soft black hat.

Beside the chauffeur, who wore a light ulster, a middle-aged man was in the automobile. He wore a black overcoat and a black derby hat. He had thin whiskers.

Deputies were sent out at once but the machine had passed on to Pulman. The coming toward Richmond where lives Margaret Raab, who promised to marry Repsold as soon as he was free.

The machine sped up to Cutting boulevard and Pulman avenue. William Depey, a policeman, was standing at that corner.

When the occupants of the automobile saw him the car stopped quickly, turned around and went the other way. It is supposed that it took the bay road to Martinez.

Varden Hoyle of San Quentin, who was notified, immediately set his agencies at work to get track of the yellow automobile.

The school in that district "They are too late," declared Secretary York. "It has been named already. Investigation showed that this was the case, and that the school is officially known as the Cleveland school. Bills for the month were passed and routine matters discussed."

SMITH BROS. VALENTINES

Whether you are selecting for the One Girl or a Sweetheart-wife—either will appreciate one of Cupid's messages, which are here in more kinds, shapes and forms than ever seen before.

Everything from the tenderly sentimental to the artistic worthy of a frame for some nook in the house.

The collection includes some new ideas shown for the first time in both the amusing kinds and the sentimental—also cunning sorts for the little folks.

Make Your Choice Early While the Assortments Are Still Complete

We have many Books that make most appropriate and sure-to-please Valentines.

Engraved Stationery OF THE PROPER KINDS HERE

No more sure mark of refinement and distinction than the kind of stationery you use. There can be no doubt of its absolute correctness if gotten here. Everything personally superintended from the time the order is taken until it is delivered or placed in the mails.

Wedding Invitations At Home, Reception or Calling Cards

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furnished in the very latest styles at reasonable prices

of Books, Pictures, Metal Photo Albums, Used Cameras, Typewriters, etc., at

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Books Pictures Frames Stationery Engraving Printing

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BATTLES WITH MASHER LOCAL WOMAN IS VICTIM



MRS. CHARLES F. THOMPSON, WHO TELLS THE POLICE SACRAMENTO IS FULL OF MASHERS.

Mrs. C. F. Thompson Declares She Was Insulted on Sacramento Streets

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 21.—"Sacramento is full of mashers and bad men."

This is the opinion of Mrs. C. F. Thompson of Oakland, a frequent visitor to this city, who has been scolded by a "masher" according to her story, on each of her visits here. Her thrilling experiences were told here when she had one of the Lotharios arrested for attempting to kiss her.

According to Mrs. Thompson, a pretty brunette, the man rushed up to her at Seventh and M streets and attempted to kiss her.

"Anita, my beloved," he shouted. Mrs. Thompson fought to disengage herself, denying vehemently that she was either Anita or his beloved, and finally recalled the police. Patrolman Tison responded, and placed the man under arrest. Another time, declared Mrs. Thompson, she was accosted by a man, and struck him in the face with her purse, thus driving him off.

Mrs. Thompson is the wife of Charles F. Thompson, a scenic artist residing in Oakland at 771 Lake Shore boulevard. She is in Sacramento on a business trip, and declares that this city contains more

mashers than any other place she has ever visited.

The man arrested for attempting to kiss the fair Oakland visitor is Mike Vadovich. He will be held for trial.

MRS. F. C. HAVENS TO RECEIVE 400

Next Week's Reception to Be One of Most Brilliant in Annals.

Mrs. Frank C. Havens will be hostess next week at a reception in honor of her son's young bride, Mrs. Harold Havens. About 400 of the smart set from both sides of the bay will journey to the charming home of Mrs. Havens, "Wildwood," on the afternoon of Saturday, February 1, to greet the attractive new bride. It will be one of the most brilliant affairs of the season before lent.

Society is much interested in the beautiful new members of the Havens family. A number of matrons of the exclusive set will assist Mrs. Havens to receive her guests on the occasion. Among them will be:

Mrs. Louise Alexander, Mrs. A. A. Moore, Jr., Mrs. Herbert W. Brown, Mrs. Victor Metcalf, Mrs. Harmon Bell, Mrs. George W. McNear, Mrs. Philip E. Bowles, Mrs. John McNear, Mrs. Frank Lamson, Mrs. Nellie R. Max-Brown, Mrs. John F. Connors, Mrs. Charles F. Shaw, Mrs. Voltaire Connors, Mrs. Albert H. Matt, Mrs. George de Galla, Mrs. Robert C. Newell, Mrs. Edward H. Hays, Mrs. D. B. Post, Mrs. Mary Fairweather, Mrs. Richard Partington, Mrs. Alice Brown, Mrs. William Havens, Mrs. Frank Hunt Proctor, Mrs. E. A. Heron, Mrs. William B. Ben, Mrs. Isaac L. Regan, Mrs. Lena P. Houston, Mrs. George Sterling, Mrs. Frank K. Jack, Mrs. Samuel J. Taylor, Mrs. Hiram W. John, Mrs. Clinton Walker, Mrs. Hiram W. John, Mrs. George W. Walsh, Mrs. Willis F. Kelley, Mrs. George W. Williams, Mrs. Oscar F. Long, Mrs. Kendall Morgan.

Debonair Bandit Is Loose in South

Boy Holds Up Customers of Grocer, Rolls Cigarette and Rides Away.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—John Shively, a grocer in the south end of the city, reported today to the police that a debonair boy bandit rode up to his store on a bicycle at dusk yesterday and robbed him and several customers of \$60.

"After riding up to the curb," said Shively, "the boy adjusted a mask, then stroled into my store, drew out a revolver and stood up all up against the wall while he rifled the cash register. Afterward he relieved the customers of what cash they had. Then he put his revolver back in his pocket, stepped long enough to roll a cigarette and got on his bicycle and rode away."

BELLBOY ARRESTED.
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Conrad Hayes, a bellboy at the University Club, was arrested by Detective Thomas Hyland this morning and charged with grand larceny. The lad is accused of stealing the diamond pin of C. B. Henderson, a member of the club, recently.

FISHER DENIES ATTEMPTED COERCION

Secretary Charges the Osage Council With Being Under Influence.

Hearing of Indian Land Leasing Case Begins at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Secretary Fisher answered the charge that he had attempted to coerce the Osage Indians into leasing their Oklahoma oil lands to a company to the exclusion of the United States Oil Co. in a statement today before the house Indian affairs committee. The secretary recently investigated the Osage council under circumstances which the department is about to present to a federal grand jury. He charged some of them with having been unduly influenced by the United States Company.

"When the circumstances under which these leases were given came to the department's attention," he said, "Bacon Rind, the principal chief, Red Eagle, assistant chief and Thomas West, a member of the council, were removed for bribery."

CONFESSION IS REPLY

A written confession by Tom West and no denial from the others were the only replies to these charges. The council ran along with seven members, continuing to do the tribe's business until after a special investigation the remainder of the council was summarily removed and the report of the investigation was turned over to the attorney general. "The difficulty in all these cases is that there is no specific law making it a crime for an official of the Indian tribe to accept a bribe. The attorney general has sent on his report with his recommendations to the United States attorney of Oklahoma."

SAYS EVIDENCE IS LACKING

T. J. Leahy, representing the deposed councilors, declared that if the report charged anything improper in connection with the framing of the leases he was sure there would be no evidence to support the charges.

He said he stood to get \$12,500 and his cousin would get a like amount if the disputed leases went through. A petition by the deposed chiefs to mandamus Secretary Fisher to show cause why they should not be reinstated was argued today in the district supreme court.

The attempt of the seven Osage Indian councilors deposed by Secretary Fisher to force their reinstatement by mandamus proceedings failed today when the district supreme court dismissed their petition. The secretary removed them for having been "unduly influenced" in granting a lease to the Uncle Sam Oil Company.

STABBED DURING ROW IN SALOON

Paul Boses Wounded and Antonio Garrido Jailed for Attack.

A saloon brawl at Sixth and Broadway last night led to the arrest of Antonio Garrido on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon for driving the blade of a cleopline between the ribs of Paul Boses of Fifth and Washington streets, and the discovery that Garrido was wanted in Emeryville by Marshal Carey on a charge of burglary. Garrido is also known as Antonio Gonzales.

Boses was taken to the Receiving hospital, where it was found that his life had been saved only through the shortness of the blade of Garrido's knife. Garrido was seen to run from the saloon after stabbing Boses and was captured by Eberholm Nightingale, Nelson and Trotter.

After Garrido had been taken to the city prison he was recognized as the man wanted by Marshal Carey of Emeryville as being suspected of having broken into the home of Russa Walworth, 124 Sixty-fifth avenue, Emeryville.

Garrido will be tried in Oakland on the assault charge, and should this fall will be transferred to the custody of Carey.

Auction Sale!

Furniture Auction

Wednesday, January 22, 11 a. m., at 614 17th st., near Jefferson, elegant mahogany parlor piece, extension table, lace curtains, hat rack, fine \$12 rugs, solid mahogany dressers and chiffoniers, couches, carpets, sewing machine, linoleum, chairs, iron beds, loss mattresses, gas range and large line of other household requisites sale absolute on account of departure.

MEYSEL & MEYSEL Auctioneers.

On Time

Our semi-annual clearance sale is distinctly "on time"—the styles are good for months yet, and many of them will be worn even through spring.

You should be "on time" and make your selection while prices are still low.

And as to payment, pay "on time" also. You are welcome to the Friedman credit system as much during sales as any other time.

Friedman's
524 TWELFTH STREET, Between Washington and Clay.

WILSON WOULD HOLD PUBLIC RECEPTION

Objects Only to His Wife and Daughters Shaking Hands With Crowd.

Denies That Fear of 'Ragging' Caused Opposition to the Inaugural Ball.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 21.—President-elect Wilson declared today that if arrangements were made for a popular reception at the Capitol building to a substitute for the inaugural ball Mrs. Wilson and the Misses Wilson would attend. The governor said the impression that the members of his family would not be present probably had arisen from his letter to Wm. Corecan Eastis, the inaugural chairman.

"Perhaps I did not make it clear in my letter," said Wilson today, "but I meant simply that the ladies should not be expected to stand in line and shake hands."

"The Governor said that while he himself did not fear the strain of the hand-shaking order he thought his family should be excused. The Governor took occasion to deny published reports that he and Mrs. Wilson had favored the abandonment of the inaugural ball because of the probability that the dangers might induce in the 'turkey trot' and similar dances. He said he had opposed the idea of an inaugural ball chiefly because of the indirect expense to the government."

"The reasons for my opposition," he said, "are set forth in my first letter to Mr. Eastis. I am glad to have been the cause of the indirect expense to the government."

President-elect Wilson's inaugural ball was abandoned officially today when the House committee providing for the ceremonies on March 4 struck it out of the Congressional resolution which covers the program.

BARS PRIVATE CAR.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 21.—When Governor Wood leaves to become President of the United States he will not travel in a private car, nor will any member of his family. He said today that he expected to make only his ordinary traveling arrangements. The 1000 Princeton students who are to march in the inaugural parade will have their special cars attached to the same train so as to escort the former president of their university into the National Capital and give a Princeton cheer when he arrives there.

League Sells Eggs Twelve Cents Cheaper

Housekeepers Begin Another Crusade to Reduce High Cost of Living.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—The Housekeepers' League, which recently brought about a reduction in the price of storage eggs here, began another crusade today, placing on sale "strictly fresh eggs" for 27 cents a dozen, about 12 cents less than the prevailing price. The eggs, it was said, are "western, southern and nearby, and none more than two weeks old."

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Removal Sale

We move February 1st to the corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets, entire second floor of the new building.

Everything now in stock Must Be Sold before we move.

Price is no consideration.

Suits
Former Price \$17.50,
Now \$6.75

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Now \$9.75

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MANY TESTIFY IN SLINGSBY CASE

Mrs. O. H. Blaine, Nurse, Tells Story of Alleged Substitution.

Investigation Takes a Definite Form in San Francisco Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—The investigation into the circumstances of the birth of the son and heir of Lieutenant Charles Slingsby took definite form this morning when District Attorney Thackeray, examined witnesses who are thought to know considerable about the case.

Mrs. O. H. Blaine, the nurse, in whose home, 1522 McAllister street, the child was thought to have first faced the light of day, was the chief witness. She was questioned at great length and remained in the private office of the district attorney for a long time.

The session was executive and the district attorney stated that he would not be ready to make public the developments until after the hearing was concluded.

OTHERS TESTIFY.

Among other witnesses summoned and in attendance were Mrs. Ella R. Young, 2760 Union street; Miss Amanda Kock, 1418 Forty-eighth avenue, and Mrs. J. Beckman, all of whom are expected to testify that the child was not born at Mrs. Blaine's home. Mrs. Adie Black of 649 Fortieth avenue, a nurse, supposed to have been the confidant of Mrs. Slingsby, was also present to give her evidence regarding the mother of the child.

Subpoenas were also issued for Dr. Martin Redensberger, president of the state board of health, and for Joseph P. Hayes of the Western Union Telegraph Company. The latter will show the original telegram supposed to have been sent by Mrs. Blaine telling of the birth of the Slingsby heir.

A P. A. private detective, today denied a statement accredited to him that Dr. Frazer was bribed to confess.

Hebrew Council in Session at Cincinnati

About 600 Delegates Present When Meeting Is Called to Order.

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(Continued)
AA—THE BAUER
Oakland's newest, finest apt. hotel
service. 15th-Broadway; Ralph Kramer,
manager.
A BEAUTIFUL NEW APARTMENT.
Very choice location, near Hotel
Oakland; finest, most complete in
4 rooms; hardwood floors, steam heat,
vacuum cleaning, etc. 1420 Jackson st.
BEAUTIFUL APARTMENT.
Every convenience; laundry, yard, 1703
Chester. Furnace heat; near hotels, 1703
Chester.
BUREAU VISTA, Bruns, near 18th—Finely
furnished 3-room apt.; reasonable, central.
Casa Rosa Apartments
Rates \$28.50 up; furnished complete;
40-gallon chemical fire engine installed; 4
exits. 1213 Market st., off 15th st.; phone
Oakland 4124.
Empress Apartments
2333 Broadway, at Twenty-third, 1-2-3
rooms, furnished, very convenient.
FREDRICK APARTMENTS
Change your location to elegant Fredrick
Apts., 41st, near Telegraph ave. Key
Route sta.; 325 up. furn. Piedmont 3502.
EL CENTRO—EVERY MODERN CON-
VENIENCE. 512 E. PHOENIX AVE. 3RD
AND SAN PABLO. OAKLAND 2619.
GRAFTON APTS., 2317 San Pablo ave.;
furn. 3 rms., private bath; nr. K. R.
sta.; steam heat, hot water. Oak. 8260.
LAGUNA VISTA, Harrison, cor. 23d-
Pine, apts., 3 rms. and kitchenette,
bath, hot water, steam heat; private
porch overlooking lake; 2d floor \$35,
others \$30 up.
Madison Park 9th and Oak sts.;
Oakland's established hotel. 50.
Hotel service; close to S. P. and Key
Route; walking distance business center.
MURIEL—Completely furnished 2 and
3 rooms; private bath; 2 and 3
etc. in beautiful location; 1 1/2 blocks
from 23d st. Key Route depot; \$25 and
up. 227 Grand ave., near Webster.
PAK ROSE apts.—Furnished 4-room apt.
for rent. 41st and Telegraph.
SAFETY APARTMENTS, 1628 San Pablo
ave.—Steam heat, 2 and 3 rooms,
modern 2-room furnished apartments.
San Pablo Apts., 2357 San Pablo—1, 2, 3,
4 rms., \$10 to \$30. Phone Oak. 1143.
THREE-Room furnished apartment. In-
quire 534 27th st.

Column 9
REAL ESTATE
Laymance Real Estate Co.
1432-1434 BROADWAY.
Close to Broadway
\$30,000—50 feet frontage, right in the active district; will be worth \$1000
per foot within 3 years; a fine investment. North of 14th street—
\$12,000. Mortgage can stand.
Railroad Stop Investment
\$14,000—Two stores and 14 rooms; together with 3 flats; shows income of
\$186 per month. Building in A1 condition; fine corner where local
stops in front of the stores. (917)
Linda Vista Residence
\$13,000—Magnificent corner location 70x125—10-room house; furnace; sleeping
porches; garage; no finer corner in all Oakland. \$3000 bank
loan can be arranged. Owner going to Europe and sacrificing. (610)
Double Bank Interest Net
\$8,500—In the new traffic center; convenient to 25th street Key Route
Station. Modern business corner in rapidly value increasing location.
Half cash. (912)
Good Little Revenue Producer
\$7,200—Pays 6 per cent net on \$13,000; store and rear rooms, 5-room flat
above; also 8-room cottage and small garage; one-third cash bal-
ance bank interest. North Oakland, one block from Telegraph ave.
\$905)
Foreclosure Snap
\$4,500—Two-story house with sinks, gas pipes, etc., arranged for five
families for house-keeping; 65 feet corner, convenient to Key Route
and S. P. R. local station. Cars pass the door. Energetic woman
could sublet here, and make a good living. Just been foreclosed upon
and offered at mortgage amount. (1145 D)
In North Lake Shore District
\$6,800—Beautiful new 8-room house, finished right up to the minute; ter-
race lot 45x150, with automobile right-of-way in rear. Built for
closest inspection; investigate this before buying. \$1500 cash. (500)
LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE CO.
1432-1434 BROADWAY.

Column 10
REAL ESTATE
STOP
AND CONSIDER A GOOD BUY.
\$2500—New, beautiful 5-room bungalow in
a restricted tract near cars and
Terry service; on easy terms.
\$3500—A new 5-room bungalow, one-third cash bal-
ance bank interest. North Oakland, one block from Telegraph ave.
\$905)
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